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OUTLINES.

Much importance is attached to the decision of the Inter-State Commerce Commission in regard to the inter-State freight rates decision by that body in regard to the proposed increase of rates——Hong Kong was swept by a typhoon Sunday night. Many persons were drowned and much property on shore was destroyed——The Inter-State Commerce Commission decides that shippers can now combine small quantities of freight of various ownership and thereby secure car-load rates from railroads——The Democratic National committee will establish branch headquarters in Denver in October. Chairman Mack will in a week present names to the executive committee from which it will select a chairman——The Government has just made contracts with several railroads of the East for transporting 720 men to San Francisco to join the vessels of the Pacific fleet——The Netherlands warship ordered to Venezuelan waters on account of strained relations has been instructed to return to Curacoa——President Roosevelt yesterday sent a message to the American team at the Olympic games extending heartiest congratulations to them. He will probably invite them to Oyster Bay, so that he may meet and talk with them——President Vallieres, of France, arrived in Russia yesterday, for a meeting between him and Emperor Nichols. He was accorded a hearty welcome ——The first convention of the Independence Party convened at Chicago last night at 8 o'clock. William Randolph Hearst, was made temporary chairman and he made speech of acceptance setting forth the principles of the party. An enthusiastic assemblage of delegates are in attendance ——The Aero Club, of America, is making arrangements for a competitive airship fight between Captain Thomas S. Baldwin and Henri Farman, the Frenchman. The flight will probably be made before Baldwin's machine is accepted by the Government——Three persons were drowned in Pennsylvania yesterday, resulting from a boat capsizing——Governor Campbell, of Texas, has been renominated by a majority of 75,000 votes ——New York Markets: Money on call easy at 1 to 1 1-4, ruling rate 1 1-4, closing bid 1, offered 1 1-4, time loans very dull. Flour steady, but quiet Wheat easy, No. 2 red 98 3-8 to 99 3-4. Corn steady, No. 2, 83 1-2. Oats firm, mixed 60 to 62. Rosin steady, strained common to good 3.05 to 3.10. Spirits turpentine quiet.

The Florida Times-Union says that "Taft is trying to play the role of Bryan's understudy," and it might have added and also acting as Roosevelt's "Man Friday."

We are glad to see that Judge Neal is giving the people in the counties in which he is holding court some plain talk on the duties of citizens as jurors in criminal trials.

The Charlotte Observer thinks the Pittsburg suicide epidemic would be all right if it would confine itself to the element "so illustriously represented by Thaw, Corey and Hartje."

The recent actions of the Democratic national convention and campaign committee show that it is still understood all the States of this section will go Democratic in all circumstances.

Mr. Adlai E. Stevenson's formal announcement of his candidacy for the nomination for Governor of Illinois, we presume, was not made until he was pretty sure of getting the nomination.

Johnston county cast 1,553 votes for Roosevelt in 1904; still the Industrial News would have its readers believe there were 1,500 enthusiastic Republicans at the county convention last Saturday.

Mr. Roosevelt is not going to let the Circuit Court of Appeals head him off in the prosecution of the Standard Oil Company—so he wants the public to think. A mighty good campaign move was his declaration.

With Democratic headquarters in the West and Norman I. Mack, of New York as chairman it shows that the battle ground will not be confined to either one of these sections, but that there will be a hot fight all along the line.

The Brooklyn Eagle, which opposed Bryan's nomination and since the convention has declared opposition to his election, says "there is trouble ahead for that gentleman." But that is nothing to the present trouble which is all around Taft.

With Conners and Murphy endorsing Mack for Democratic national chairman, it looks like the party is solidly united in New York State, which will give Mr. Bryan the inside of the track in the race in that State and, therefore, the best of the chances to win.

COURTS IN SESSION

Two Weeks Term for Trial of Criminal Causes Opened Yesterday Morning.

MANY SUBMISSIONS TAKEN

Mr. F. A. Montgomery Foreman of Grand Jury—Mary McDaniel Case Set For Friday of This Week. Other Cases.

The two weeks' term of New Hanover Superior Court for the trial of criminal causes only, Judge J. Crawford Biggs, of Durham, presiding by exchange of courts with Judge C. C. Lyon, convened here promptly at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and during the day considerable progress was made on the docket of 150 or more cases to be disposed of at this term.

Two sessions of the court were held yesterday but Judge Biggs announced that for the remainder of the term only a morning session would be held and that the hours would be from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M. Yesterday the day was largely devoted to organization and the hearing of submissions. Judge Biggs' charge to the grand jury was very complete and was listened to intently by the grand jury which was drawn and empanelled as follows: F. A. Montgomery, foreman; J. N. Bowden, J. T. Hill, W. A. Eubank, J. H. Mintz, Geo. P. Howey, C. H. Stokley, T. B. Cox, D. Rountree, J. R. Minshew, A. A. Dock, John Meier, C. H. Casteen, J. A. Brothers, E. S. Shipp, E. B. Moore, W. C. Crow and C. W. Yates, Jr. The jury was placed in charge of Officer Melvin Horne and at once got down to business.

No cases of very great interest were heard during the day. Dave Bowden, colored, pleaded guilty to carrying a concealed weapon but his submission availed him little, for there were circumstances in connection with the case which led Judge Biggs to impose a penalty of $50 and costs. Willie Farrow, charged with an assault with a deadly weapon and carrying a concealed weapon, also submitted but later this submission was stricken out and the case was left open.

Robert McIntyre, colored, a rather notorious thief, was called and failed and judgment nisi, sci fa and capias was entered.

The case of T. N. Simmons, charged with an assault upon Architect H. E. Bonitz, was continued until next term. Sci fa and judgment absolute was entered in case of A. C. Brown.

Mitchell Armstrong, colored, charged with the larceny of some shoes in transit for Peterson & Rulfs, on the Atlantic Coast Line, was represented by L. Clayton Grant, Esq., and was found not guilty upon instruction of the court on the point raised that the ownership of the property had not been proved.

Richard Haywood, colored, charged with larceny, was placed on trial but later a juror was withdrawn and a mistrial was had.

Mary Murphy, colored, pleaded guilty to larceny and was given six months on the county farm.

Fannie Carroll, colored, charged with larceny, was called and failed and a capias was ordered to issue. Judgment absolute was entered in the case of Will Lane. Judgment for instanter capias was likewise issued for John Rivers, Norwood Everett and Walter Everett.

James Gillespie, colored, was charged with disorderly conduct, being drunk and resisting an officer. The defendant was remanded for trial by the Mayor on the first two named charges and for resisting an officer, through his attorney, Herbert McClammy, Esq., he submitted and paid a fine of $15 and costs.

John Robinson, a small colored boy recently brought back from Newbern to answer the charge of robbing the safe of Mr. M. H. Kelly, was found guilty, but upon plea of his counsel, George L. Peschau, Esq., that he is under sixteen years of age, he was let off with the minimum penalty of four months on the roads.

Sidney Wilson, colored, charged with larceny, had his case continued and set for next Saturday. John Wilson, larceny, was given six months on the roads. Tolson Bailey, the garden hose thief, was found guilty but judgment was continued. At 6 o'clock yesterday evening the court was in the midst of the trial of Alex. Mazingo, white, charged with the larceny of logs from the Cape Fear Lumber Co. The following jury is empanelled to hear the case: Virginius Hall, Alex. Wells, J. M. King, W. J. Meredith, J. H. Dew, T. E. King, Jas. Reece, E. Orrell, E. J. Hardison, George Lewis, E. N. Edens and Joe Roderick. The case will be resumed when court convenes this morning.

Yesterday morning upon the convening of court B. G. Empie, Esq., asked that a definite day be set for the trial of Mary McDaniel, the colored woman charged with arson. Judge Biggs asked Mr. Empie to arrange the matter with the solicitor and this was later done, Friday of this week being named as the date.

Tuesday is a special day at Rehder's. All 12 1-2 and 15-cent French organdie at 7 1-2 cents the yard. **

PROMINENT CITIZEN DEAD

Mr. R. V. Leonard Passed Away Sunday, After Illness of Fever—Funeral From Fifth Street Church Yesterday Afternoon.

The death of Mr. R. V. Leonard, one of Wilmington's best known and most highly esteemed citizens, occurred Sunday afternoon shortly before 6 o'clock, at his home, 201 Church street, where he has been ill for the past six weeks with typhoid fever.

His death created unmitigated sadness among his many relatives and friends, the end coming very unexpectedly, his condition after marked improvement taking a sudden turn for the worse. Expressions of the deepest regret and sympathy for the bereaved family were heard from his numerous acquaintances, who knew him in life and paid high tribute to his memory. He was known as a loyal citizen and capable business man, who met with infinite success in all of his ventures and his intimate relations with the people made him universally admired.

For the past nine years Mr. Leonard had owned and managed a wholesale commission business on the wharf, his business increasing from a very small establishment to one of the largest in the city. He was identified with Fifth Street Methodist church as Superintendent of the Sunday School and a very consistent member and in this position was held in high regard.

Mr. Leonard was 47 years of age, being a former resident of Brunswick county, where he lived his early life, having been born in the year 1862. For some years before he determined to come to Wilmington, he conducted a business similar to the one in this city at Lockwood's Folly, which is still in operation and was owned by him at the time of his death. Surviving him is a wife and two children, of his immediate family, these being Mr. Samuel Murdock Leonard and Miss Mary Goldie Leonard. Besides those mentioned are the following brothers and sisters: Messrs. N. D. Leonard, of Shallotte, Brunswick county; H. A. Leonard, of Seaside, N. C.; N. G. Leonard, of St. George, S. C., and Mrs. G. E. Brooks, of Seaside, N. C.

Attended by a large concourse of friends consisting of the members of Fifth Street Sunday School and other acquaintances in business life, the funeral was held from the church yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, Rev. K. P. Holmes, the pastor, officiating. Following the services the remains were conveyed to Oakdale and laid to rest. The floral designs as a token of esteem from many friends made a very beautiful array. The funeral was held with the honors of the Odd Fellows and the pall-bearers were: Messrs. M. Marshburn, R. R. Stone, W. W. Blair, J. T. Sholar, J. W. Fleet and J. W. Brook, active; Messrs. H. C. Hamlin and J. B. Fales, honorary.

HAS CLIMBED RAPIDLY

Remarkable Success of Wilmington Boy on New York Exchange

On the financial page of the New York Herald of last Thursday is printed a splendid likeness of Mr. J. T. Munds, a son of Mrs. J. Dixon Munds, of this city, and the following story of Mr. Munds' remarkable success on the New York Cotton exchange:

"As good an instance as there is showing how a young man may work himself up the ladder of progress in Wall street is that afforded by the case of James Theus Munds, who was elected to membership on the Cotton Exchange a few days ago and who recently became a partner in the newly organized Stock Exchange firm of Veit, Lyon & Co.

"It was only about seven years ago that young Mr. Munds—he is now twenty-seven years old—went into the financial district and obtained employment as a clerk in the offices of McFadden Brothers. After working there a few years he was employed by Craig & Jenkins, where his clear-sightedness in financial matters began to manifest itself. He left the latter firm early this year and is now on a rung of the ladder away above the first, from which he started to climb."

ROBERT BLACK BOUND OVER.

Negro Who Assaulted Yard Conductor J. B. Brice Held Yesterday.

Justice W. McD. Evans yesterday gave preliminary trial to Robert Black the negro charged in two cases with committing an assault with a deadly weapon upon Yard Conductor J. B. Brice, of the Atlantic Coast Line last week. Black submitted in both cases and was bound over to the present term of Superior Court in bond of $500 each. Yard Conductor Brice was also arraigned, waised examination through his counsel, L. Clayton Grant, Esq., and gave $100 bond for his appearance in Superior Court for shooting the negro, which act he claims was in self defense.

Civil Suit Over Auto Accident.

A civil action was brought by J. D. Briggs against Mr. A. Huggins in Justice Bornemann's court yesterday, the plaintiff sueing for the recovery of $15, alleging that this amount of damage was done to his buggy, when an automobile driven by Mr. Huggins accidentally collided with his vehicle. Herbert McClammy, Esq., appears for the defendant and the case was continued until Saturday, August 1st.

Ten yards of white homespun for 29 cents, today at Rehder's. **

REGISTER HEARING

Governor Hears Argument Pro and Con on Petition to Pardon Columbus Man.

D. J. LEWIS, ESQ., AGAINST

Opposition Granted Further Time. Charters Granted and Amended. Clerk H. C. Brown Convalescing From Attack of Fever.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., July 27.—The case of H. B. Register, serving a life sentence in the penitentiary for being accessory before the fact in the murder of Jim Staley and Jessie Soles in Columbus county, was heard further on petition for pardon by Governor Glenn this afternoon the aged wife and three daughters with C. M. Bernard, as counsel, appearing to urge the pardon and D. J. Lewis, a prominent attorney of Whiteville in opposition.

Mr. Lewis was of counsel for the prosecution when Old Man Register and his son, Jabel Register, were convicted and the sentences of respectively life imprisonment and death were imposed and the third defendant, Cross Edmondson, who turned State's evidence against the Registers, was given six years in the State prison. Edmondson has since died in prison. The wife and daughters of Register in addition to the appeal on personal grounds, urged the pardon on the ground that there was strong doubt of the guilt of either the old man or of Jabel, who was hanged. They impeach the testimony of Edmondson on the ground that he had a grudge against the Registers, although he had been raised in the Register home. The evidence was that the old man induced Jabel and the Edmondson boy to go to the house of Staley and Soles, murder them and burn the house for the purpose of robbery, knowing that there was money in their possession.

Mr. Lewis merely presented the opposition at this time briefly, taking the ground that in the trial below there was the most conclusive circumstantial evidence possible of guilt and discrediting in toto the theory that has been raised that the negro Staley was not murdered at all, but that it was he who shot United States Marshal Reece some months ago in Moore county in connection with a blockade distillery raid. Mr. Lewis informed the Governor that there were great numbers of the best citizens who were anxious to sign a petition or write the Governor in opposition to pardon and asked that some future day be set for the opposition to have a fuller hearing. This was done.

Without going into the merits of either side very fully a mutual agreement was reached by counsel and others interested for the hearing pro and con to be concluded at Laurinburg August 19th when the Governor will be there on some other State business. The Governor received a number of telegrams today protesting against any pardon for Register and a letter from Judge Lyon who was prosecuting attorney, urging that no pardon be granted before both sides have a full hearing.

The Orion Knitting Mill, of Kinston, increases capital to $100,000 from $10,000, an amendment to its charter to this effect being filed with the Secretary of State. The president of the corporation is Henry Tull.

A charter is granted by the State to the F. T. Smith Drug Co., of Kannapolis, Cabarrus county, capital $10,000 authorized and $3,000 subscribed by F. L. Smith and others.

Steady improvement is reported in the condition of Henry C. Brown secretary to the North Carolina Corporation Commission, who is convalescing from a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Merry Row at Raleigh.

Raleigh, N. C., July 27.—The rulings of Umpire Upchurch showed up a score of 4 to 2 in Goldsboro's favor against Raleigh today but the Raleigh fans were that indignant at what they insisted were deliberate discriminations against Raleigh that two hundred of them left the grounds in the sixth, being induced to return later by insistence of President Pierce, of the Raleigh Association. However, the sensation of the season was precipitated in the finish of the ninth inning when Raleigh had two men down, two men on bases and the umpire made rulings held to be ranker than ever. A number of men from the bleachers led by Walter Saddler leaped over the fence and made a dash for the umpire. Constable Bynum, officer of the grounds, met and engaged them in a pitched fight so their attention was diverted from Umpire Upchurch long enough for him to get out of the grounds and catch a hack for his home on Salisbury street. He came up town tonight and resigned. In the scufle with the officers as they came over the fence after the umpire, Walter Saddler received a severe gash across his head from the constable's club. None of the others was seriously hurt. A dozen or more men engaged in the "scrap" while it was on. The Raleigh fans were well pleased with the work of the Raleigh team. Two new players, Burk at short stop and Cooley at third base, showed up exceptional well.

The Score:—			R	H	E
Raleigh ..	000	200 000—2	7	3
Goldsboro ..	000	004 000—4	6	4

Batteries: Brandon and Wrenn: Umstead and Bennett.

Summary: Struck out, by Umstead 5, by Brandon 7; bases on balls, Brandon 3, Umstead 0; two base hits, Adams and Reid; three base hit, Dawson; time 2 hours; attendance 700.

L. J. Mills, formerly of the Wilson team, succeeds Upchurch as umpire.

Special sale of ladies' hose today at Rehder's. 25-cent hose, black, white and light colors, at 19 cents the pair.

GOVERNMENT BIDS OPENED

Extensive Contract For Dredging First Fourteen Miles of Inland Waterway From Pamlico Sound to Beaufort Inlet.

At the office of Capt. Earl I. Brown, in charge of the Corps of United States Army Engineers for this district, were opened yesterday a number of bids for extensive dredging on the inland waterway from Pamlico Sound to Beaufort Inlet, N. C., the distance approximately fourteen miles requiring the removal of 3,600,000 cubic yards of material.

The lowest bidder was the Maryland Dredging and Contracting Company, of Baltimore, which proposes to do the work for 10 3-4 cents per cubic yard for both divisions, the amount of the contract being $387,000. Captain Brown submits the bids with a recommendation to the War Department, who will later formally make the award and it is believed that the recommendation will be that the contract go to the Maryland concern. The amount available under the appropriation is $358,000 and the work is one of the important links in the proposed inland waterway from Beaufort, N. C. to Norfolk, Va. There were nine bidders all told, each of which sent a representative over the proposed route, thoroughly acquainting themselves with conditions before making proposals. The bids were as follows:

P. Sanford Ross, Incorporated, Jersey City, N. J., Division A, 1,800,000 cubic yards, 13.6 cents per cubic yard; amount $244,800.

Maryland Dredging and Contracting Company, Baltimore, Md., 10.75 cents per cubic yard, amount $387,000; bid on the whole.

Atlantic Dredging Company, Philadelphia, Pa., 13 1-2 cents for Division A, 21 cents for Division B, amount $621,000 for both sections.

Coastwise Dredging Company, Norfolk, Va., 19 7-8 cents for Division B; amount $357,750 on section B.

Sanford and Brooks Company, Baltimore, Md., 18c for Division A, 23c for Division B, amount $738,000 for both sections.

John Anderson Gulfport, Miss., 11 3-4 cents for the whole, amount $423,000 for the whole.

R. G. Ross, Jacksonville, Fla., 9.9 cents for Division A, amount $178,200 for Division A only.

Atlantic Gulf and Pacific Company, New York, N. Y., 9.5 cents for Division A, amount $171,000 for Division A only.

North American Dredging Co., New York, 10.75 for Division A, amount $1.93,500; 14.48 for Division B, amount $260,640; for the whole 11.74 cents, amount $422,640.

BALL PLAYER UNDER BOND.

Henry Gettig For Assaulting Umpire—Henderson Case Dismissed.

Under three charges for disorderly conduct and assault, Henry Gettig, Wilson's baseball shortstop, was placed under bond of $25 yesterday morning before Justice Bornemann and was permitted to go his way, pending a trial of the cases later on. Umpire Henderson appeared before Justice Bornemann and submitted to the charge of assault and was taxed with the cost.

The two assaults were committed, one at the ball park and the other at the Beach, Saturday afternoon and night and Gettig was caught yesterday morning by Deputy Sheriff Piver, on Front street, when he was on his way to the depot to leave the city. An account of the assaults, which was given in Sunday's Star, created much interest and the trial of Gettig will probably be held on August 6th, when the Wilson team will again be here.

THE SEASHORE TONIGHT.

High Class Moving Pictures and Polite Vaudeville Offering.

Indications point to a large attendance upon the special theatrical offering this evening in the concert hall of the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, when Messrs. Howard & Wells, proprietors of the Bijou in this city, will put on a bill of fine vaudeville for the entertainment of guests at the hotel and on the beach. The bill will run for more than and hour and besides motion pictures will embrace solo work by Miss Nixon, of the orchestra, negro impersonations by Mr. Henry Angel and illustrated songs by Mr. Edward Reilly. Messrs. Howard & Wells have gone to considerable time and expense to make a great success of this engagement and it is hoped the audience will be large as encouragement will make way for other entertainments of the kind at the beach.

WILSON TAKES FIRST

Clean and Well Played Game Won By Tobacco Outfit on Home Grounds.

THE SCORE THREE TO TWO

Goldsboro Won From Red Sox and Again Tie Sailors For Leadership of the League—The Games Today.

Results Yesterday.
Wilmington 2, Wilson 3.
Raleigh2, Goldsboro 4.
Games Today.
Wilmington at Wilson.
Goldsboro at Raleigh.

Standing of the Clubs.

Clubs—	W.	L.	Pct.
Wilmington ..	9	6	.600
Goldsboro ..	9	6	.600
Wilson ..	8	6	.571
Raleigh ..	3	11	.214

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wilson, N. C., July 27.—The Sailor boys were defeated in one of the cleanest and most satisfactory games of the season this afternoon. Had not the locals won the laurels, the satisfaction would have been just the same for there was not a dissenting voice from either team or spectators by the just decisions of the umpires.

Owing to the non-arrival of an official umpire one was selected from each team, Mills for the Tobacconists and Ross for the Sailors. Feature Moore's home run on the first ball passed on errors.

The Score:—		R	H	E
Wilson ..	.....100 020 00x—3	7	2
Wilmington ..	..000 200 000—2	4	2

Batteries: Ogle and Holt; Bussey and Kite.

Summary: Two base hits, Ogle; three base hits, Miller; bases on balls, Ogle 1, by Bussey none; struck out, by Ogle 8, by Bussey 5; umpires, Mills and Ross; time 2 hours; attendance 350.

HEARING IN BANKRUPTCY

Judge Purnell Heard Several Motions In Court Yesterday.

Judge Thos. R. Purnell, of the United States District and Circuit Courts of the Eastern District of North Carolina, is spending some time at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach, and came up to the city yesterday at the request of several attorneys to hear some motions in bankruptcy. One of these was as to the allowance of a claim in behalf of the Corbitt Buggy Co., in the case of John L. James, of Duplin county. The decision of the referee in the case was affirmed.

Another motion was to have W. T. Sears & Co., adjudged a bankrupt upon petition of W. B. Cooper, Stone & Co., and the Rheinstein Dry Goods Co., who were represented by ex-Judge E. K. Bryan. The decision of the referee declining the petition on the ground that the matter is being adjudicated in the State courts was affirmed.

SMALL COURT YESTERDAY

Two Women Get 30 Days for Disorderly Conduct—Davis Trial.

A few small cases claimed the attention of the Mayor yesterday noon at the session of the police court, all the defendants being tried for petty offenses. Hanna Pollock and Rosa Bullock, both for disorderly conduct, were sent to the county farm to serve 30 days for disorderly conduct. A few other cases, consisting of drunks and affrays were rapidly disposed of.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock the cases of W. J. Davis, Samuel Rosenbaum and Fannie Shepard, for purchasing stolen goods from Barnie Leard, will be heard before Mayor Springer. The case was set for a hearing yesterday but at the request of Solicitor Duffy, desired to be present at the trial, it was postponed.

LOCAL TEAM WON.

Compress Giants Took Game From Goldsboro Colored Team Yesterday.

The colored baseball team of Goldsboro was easy fruit for the Compress Giants of Wilmington at League Park in the first of a series of three games yesterday afternoon, score 7 to 3. There were no features. The score:

Goldsboro	.....000 000 030—3	3	5
Wilmington	....010 103 02*—7	10	1

Batteries—Brown and Walker; Smith and Dekeysir. Umpire, Townsend; scorers, Holmes and Smith; attendance 150; time 1:40.

Captured Big Contract.

Mr. J. O. Brock, the well known electrical contractor of this city, has returned from Durham where he lately closed the contract for the wiring and other work in his line for the magnificent new Watts hospital now in course of construction at Durham, N. C. Several months will be required to complete the contract which is one of the largest the Wilmington firm ever landed, consisting not only of electric lights but telephones, call bells, enunciators, etc. The wiring will be done as the building of the hospital progresses.

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DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President—W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska.
For Vice President—John W. Kern, of Indiana.

State Ticket.

For Governor—W. W. Kitchin.
For Lieutenant Governor—W. C. Newland.
For Secretary of State—J. Bryan Grimes.
For State Treasurer—B. R. Lacy.
For State Auditor—B. F. Dixon.
For Attorney General—T. W. Bickett.
For Commissioner of Agriculture—W. A. Graham.
For Corporation Commissioner—B. F. Aycock.
For Superintendent of Education—J. Y. Joyner.
For Insurance Commissioner—J. R. Young.
For Labor Commissioner—M. L. Shipman.

Congressional Ticket.

For Congress, Sixth District—Hannibal L. Godwin.

County Ticket.

For Sheriff—S. P. Cowan.
For Treasurer—H. McL. Green.
For Register of Deeds—John Haar.
For Coroner—Dr. C. D. Bell.
For Surveyor—E. J. W. Anders.
For Constable of Wilmington Township—W. B. Savage.
For County Commissioners—D. McEachern, H. L. Vollers, M. W. Divine, J. P. Montgomery, W. F. Robertson.

Legislative Ticket.

For Senator—B. G. Empie.
For Representative—George L. Morton.

IMMIGRATION.

During the fiscal year ending June 30th last the immigrants to this country numbered only 687,000 as against 1,300,000 for the preceding year, showing a falling off of about one half. More than this, as we have heretofore noted in these columns of late, in the last few month the return to their former home of immigrants has exceeded the new ones who have come in The small number of immigrants for last year as compared with the year before must be attributed chiefly to the panic of last fall, as most of the decrease in immigration occurred during the last nine months of the fiscal year or since October 1st, last; and it was this same financial depression which drove so many of our foreign-born residents back to their native countries. During the whole year the immigration did not exceed the emigration by 100,000 and for the last nine months of the year the latter was actually greater

This state of affairs will not continue, however. As soon as workshops, factories and mines open up to full capacity, as they are expected to do before very long the tide of migration will turn and the steerage passenger capacities of westward bound steamers will be taxed to their fullest extent. When it is learned that there is no longer a large army of idle workmen here, but that there is work for all who apply there will be a rush to our shores and all former immigration records may be broken. Those who went home with their savings, when employment could no longer be had in this country, because living was cheaper there and they preferred to idle, if they had to do so ,there than here, will return to take up their old occupations at higher wages than can be had at home, expecting repetition of their former experience during flush times in America, and with them will come many new ones, hoping to do the same.

Our government should be prepared for this turn of the tide and be in position to protect the country against an influx of worthless and undesirable immigrants—Anarchists and paupers.

We do not oppose immigration of the right kind—honest and thrifty men and women who come here to make this their home and to support themselves by hand or brain. Such are a help. The United States would not be the great nation she is to day had she always kept her gates closed against such class of immigrants. But for them the great Northwest would still be thinly settled and many large areas now flourishing and weath producing sections would still be wildernesses or unproductive plains, and North Carolina would today be without many of those of her people who are unsurpassed in the world as true and loyal citizens.

But there is another class of immigrants who are not desirable citizens and who will be sure to take advantage of the rush to find hiding here from just punishment for vagabondage and crime at home. These should be kept out and the Government should be prepared to exercise greater precaution in preventing their landing. Our immigration laws have been too lax or the regulations too loosely enforced in regard to this class in the past. For the welfare and peace of the country more attention should be paid to this class of immigrants in the future. Our country does not need them; it does not want them; they are a menace to good society and to the prosperity of all the people.

BRYAN AND UNION LABOR.

An editorial will appeal in the August number of the American Federationist by Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation of Labor, giving his reasons for declaring for the Democratic National party, and his urging Union labor men to vote for its candidates. He emphatically declares that he has given no promise to and will make no attempt to deliver the Union labor vote to Mr. Bryan; but he gives his reasons why he thinks that vote should be cast for him and Mr. Kern. He reasons with the laboring men and then asks them to act according to their reason and the dictates of their consciences. He declares, taking the Chicago platform as his basis, that the Republican party has declined to give them any consideration whatever, while the Democratic party by its leaders and platform has shown that it is their true friend and that it will strive to aid them. In discussing the labor plans in the Republican platform, Mr. Gompers in his editorial, says in part, to the wage earners of the country:

"At a glance the plank adopted will be seen to be a flimsy, tricky evasion of the issue. It is an endorsement of the very abuse against which labor justly protests, and would, if enacted by Congress, give statutory authority for the issuance of injunctions in labor disputes, an authority which does not now exist. It is a pro-injunction, not an anti-injunction, declaration. It is worse than 'meaningless and evasive,' as the capitalist-corporation press has designated it. It would make more acute the wrongs by which the toilers are forced to bear the unjust judicial burden of injunction discrimination.

"That part of the plank declaring that the Republican party will uphold the authority and integrity of the courts is a gratuitous, indefensible and covert insult, not only to the men of labor, but to the courts themselves. It implies that the integrity and legal authority of the courts have been questioned.

"It was adopted to appease the corporation magnates and corporation lawyers who demanded that the Republican convention adopt such a declaration. The same sort of influences which demanded the incorporation of this declaration in regard to the courts, fashioned the declarations and attitude of the chambers of commerce and boards of trade of New York and elsewhere during the revolution for American independence when they assured King George of their loyalty to the British crown and their unalterable opposition to American independence.

"It were better that the Republican convention had entirely ignored the question than to have attempted to foist such a plank upon the people."

THE OIL TRUST CASE.

"The reversal of the judgment in the Standard Oil Company's case, in which that corporation was fined in the magnificent sum of $29,000,000, shows the tendency towards a reaction of sentiment of the public towards corporations, not perhaps exactly favoring them, but a sentiment savoring more of the practical, than that of making them pay the full limit for offenses, with the basis largely sentimental. The rule in treating corporations of late, has been along lines indicated by popular clamor rather than upon the actual evidence governing cases."—Newbern Journal.

We cannot agree with the Journal in its proposition that the reversal of Judge Landis in this case by the Circuit Court of Appeals is an indication of a "tendency toward a reaction of sentiment of the public toward corporations." There may be such a tendency in the public mind, but we do not believe public sentiment would have a thing to do with the declaration of what they believed to be law in such a case or in any other case by the men who composed the court which passed upon the judgment pronounced by Judge Landis.

We are glad to believe that there is not so fierce hostility at present against corporations and especially railroads, as there was a while back, on the part of many people, fired to a high pitch of animosity against them by a certain class of politicians, but we have not yet felt that there was reason to suppose the members of our courts of appeal were swayed one way or another by public sentiment on this subject or on any other. When such conditions come about, it will indicate a fearful state of affairs and will show that our government is in great danger from the corruption of that one of its branches which is the greatest safeguard to the rights and liberties of the people.

Some people scout the idea of a cat sucking an infant's breath. The Times, of Allegheny, Pa., says that in the coroner's office in that city there is an official report just made of a two-months-old baby being killed in this way, and that paper says this is the second death from this cause recorded in that office in the last two years.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—There has been no more encouraging than that of the Wake Democracy than that of its county executive committee which met yesterday, a meeting that clearly showed that the Democracy of this county is united and ready to face the common foe.—News and Observer.

—Taft will have to look sharp now. Bryan is supplementing his speeches and newspaper interviews with phonograph records of his ideas, in word form, which will be circulated all over the country. Well, there simply is no hope for Taft with such odds against him.—Greenville, S. C., News.

—It is noteworthy that in promoting Prof. D. H. Hill from the chair of English in the State Agricultural and Mechanical College to the presidency of the institution the board of trustees voted unanimously. A president in full sympathy with the special aims of the college as well as the possessor of broad intellectual interests, Dr. Hill may be trusted to acquit himself well.—Charlotte Observer.

—The 2,000 old hands and a lot of new ones taken on for work at a full ten hour schedule at the big Edison works at West Orange are merely another indication that prosperity has returned and is advancing, if not with the proverbial and hackneyed "leaps and bounds," at least with a stride which gives the best assurances of "staying qualities."—New York Tribune.

—Referring to the report of the United States government on the cost of living, the Atlanta Journal finds the following: This report shows that the average was 5.7 per cent. higher than in 1906, 44.4 per cent higher than in 1897, the year of the lowest prices during the eighteen year period, and 29.5 per cent higher than the average for the ten years from 1890 to 1899.—Newbern Sun.

—Harriman is leading the fight for permission to put up rates again. For Washington the argument runs this way—without an increase in rates the roads must dismiss thousands of employes and the loss of their wages will paralyze business; without business prosperity the Republican ticket cannot win. Now watch rates go up by permission of the powers sworn to enforce the law. Jimmy Garfield will never close his ears to an appeal from the politicians—by direction of Roosevelt.—Florida Times-Union.

TWINKLINGS.

—She—Do you believe the good die young? He—I did when I was a boy—but not now.—Chicago News.

—She—I suppose you will commit suicide if I refuse you? He—Ah—that has been my custom!—The Sketch.

—"How spirituelle she seems." "No wonder. Her mother was a medium and her father was a tipler."—Chicago Record-Herald.

—"These electric light bills are driving me positively crazy," said the man who worries. "It's not so bad as that,' 'answered the merry wag. "It's probably a mere case of chandelirium."—Washington Star.

—"Pizen Pete's lawyer challenged sixteen talesmen." "That's all foolishness." "Jest what I say. Why didn't he challenge the District Attorney an' settle it in a jiffy?"—Louisville Courier-Journal.

—"It's too bad that none of us can ever be as good as some people think we ought to be." "Yes, but then there's the consolation in the thought that none of us can ever be as bad as some people think we are."—Philadelphia Press.

—"The easiest way to succeed, my boy, is to give the people what they want." "No, sir, you are mistaken. The easiest way to succeed is to make the people think they want what you are giving them."—Chicago Record-Herald.

—"Paw," said Teddie, reading a vaudeville poster, "what are -lapsticks?" "Well, my son," said paw to gain time, "what do you think a slapstick is?" "Teacher's ruler," said Teddy, unconsciously rubbing the palm of his hand.—New York Times.

—The Sentimentalist—A love letter has been found in Assyria that is 4,000 years old. Doesn't that appeal to you? Why, the very dust of the hand that penned it and the heart that inspired it has been scattered to heaven's four winds. The Cynic—I suppose it's full of the usual nauseating slush?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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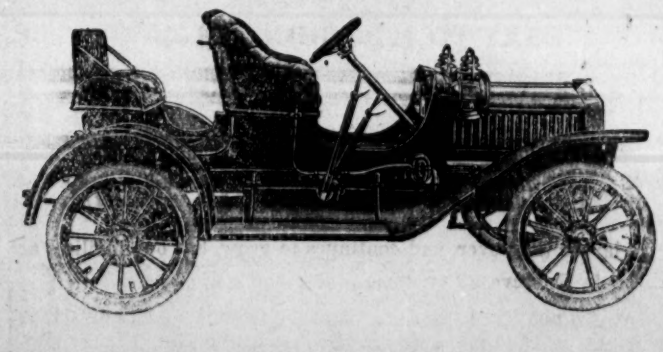

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A MORNING SURGICAL OPERATION.

[Original.]

A young American, Walter Tisdale, with two ladies, was dining in Paris at a cafe in the Champs d'Elicier. There is an adage that two is company and three is a crowd, and Tisdale wished for another man to be a companion for one of the girls. A gentleman sat at a table near by smoking his cigarette, drinking his absinth and twirling his mustache. He cast an occasional glance at Tisdale and his party and seemed interested in them. When the waiter presented the bill Tisdale was chagrined to find that he had left his portemannaie at his hotel. There was nothing remaining in his vest pocket but a five franc piece, quite insufficient to meet the indebtedness. He was at a loss to know what to do. The ladies had no money with them, and the position was embarrassing. All this was evident to the gentleman sitting near. He rose, approached Tisdale and, lifting his hat, politely said:

"Pardon, m'sieu. If you will permit me I will relieve your embarrassment. What is the amount of the bill?"

After some discussion Tisdale accepted the stranger's offer and asked him to take his place at the table while he drove to his hotel to get his money. The stranger consented. Tisdale was absent less than half an hour and when he returned found the girls quite at home with their protector. He was a man of perhaps forty. His manners were affable, and he possessed the faculty of being an attentive listener. Tisdale was very grateful for the favor he had done him and, thanking him, said:

"M'sieu, we would be happy to have you join our party for the evening. We shall visit those places of amusement with which this delightful city abounds and when we have exhausted them will sup at one of the cafes in the amusement center."

Tisdale took out a card and handed it to the stranger, who looked at it musingly.

"M'sieu will pardon me," said the latter, "for not returning my card. I never carry one. My name has disagreeable associations. You probably know that the implement used in the revolution for getting rid of the nobility took its name from a physician, Dr. Guillotin."

"I see," said Tisdale; "you are a descendant of his."

"The name is not uncommon," said one of the ladies, Mlle. de Four.

"I rather like it," said the other, Louise Micheau. "There is a keen edge to it."

All laughed at the sally. The ladies gathered their wraps, the men put on their overcoats, all left the cafe and, getting into a carriage, drove away. During the evening the party gave themselves up to pleasure. The stranger once or twice demurred at not being permitted to pay any bills, but, seeing that Tisdale was determined on this point, gave way. He was not a communicative man—rather silent, in fact—but this did not prevent him from being companionable. He asked to be excused from drinking, giving as a reason that he would be obliged to perform a delicate operation in the morning and would need a steady hand.

"So you are like your celebrated ancestor, a doctor?" remarked Tisdale.

"I follow his footsteps," replied Guillotin.

The doctor seemed to prefer Mlle. Micheau and became her escort for the evening.

It was 1 o'clock before the party brought up in a cafe on one of the boulevards for supper.

"I shall have to leave you very soon," said the stranger. "Having accepted your hospitality thus far, I grant that you will drink a bottle with me?"

"Certainly. But why leave us?"

"The operation I spoke of."

"An operation! So early in the morning!" exclaimed Mlle. de Four.

"You'll kill the patient," said Mlle. Micheau. "Better wait for daylight."

"I do not expect the patient will survive," said the doctor.

There was a certain chill in his voice that communicated itself to the others. There was something uncanny in the fact of a man's leaving a gay supper party to perform an operation on a person the result of which he expected would be fatal. Tisdale, to banish the disagreeable feeling, seized a glass of wine and, clinking it with the others, drank success to the doctor's operation.

"It will be successful," said the surgeon. "It is an operation I have performed often, and I never fail."

"But I thought you said the patient would not survive it," said Mlle. Micheau.

"He will not, but his death has nothing to do with my skill in operating. That is another matter."

As he spoke a waiter uncorked a bottle of champagne, the wine spouting and deluging the glasses. The doctor took up his glass, bowed affably to the three, touched his lips to it, set it down and offered his hand to each. There was a coldness in it that added to the chill. Then he was gone.

"M. de Paris is looking very well this morning," said a gentleman sitting near. "He goes to attend to the case of Gavitz, the wife murderer."

The girls with Tisdale turned pale.

"Who is M. de Paris?" asked Tisdale.

"Our companion for the evening the public executioner!" gasped Mlle. Micheau.

The next morning's paper in speaking of the passing of the wife murderer incidentally mentioned that M. de Paris was not his usual self. Perhaps a remembrance of Mlle. Micheau had something to do with the change.

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Tuesday, July 28, 1908.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., July 28, 1908.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Monday, July 27th:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 78 degrees; 8 P. M. 79 degrees; maximum 87 degrees; minimum 71 degrees; mean 79 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .02; rainfall for the month, 4.62.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville Monday at 8 A. M. 4.9 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Local rains Tuesday and Wednesday, increasing Northeast winds.

Port Calendar—July 28.

Sun Rises .....5:03 A. M.
Sun Sets .....7:08 P. M.
Day's Length.....14 hrs. 8 min.
High water at Southport 8:21 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 10:51 P. M.

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. F. D. Ross, of Charlotte, was here yesterday on a business trip.

—Mr. Fred H. Roberts, of Lumberton, spent yesterday in the city.

—Mr. W. A. Martin returned home yesterday after spending a few days at Southport on a pleasure trip.

—Mr. Jesse Wilder has returned home after a visit of a week or more at Vade Mecum Springs.

—Miss Azile Hewlett left yesterday to visit friends in Wilson and Chapel Hill. She will be gone several weeks.

—Miss Lucy V. Allen, Mr. John Pitman, and Misses Pattie and Maggie Pitman, of Lumberton, were guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. A. L. Tremaine, of the Cape Fear Lumber Company, of Maple Hill, Pender county, was a Wilmington business visitor yesterday.

—Miss Bertha Benton, of Whiteville, arrived in the city yesterday and will spend some time the guest of Miss Maude Jackson, in this city.

—Charlotte Observer: "Miss Hannah Constable will leave this week for Wrightsville to spend some time with her aunt, Mrs. Martin Willard."

—Charlotte Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lentz and two children and Miss Lou Trott have returned from Wrightsville, where they spent ten days."

—Miss Cornie Fore, who has been spending some time quite pleasantly at Wrightsville Beach, is now the guest of Miss Louise Beery, No. 401 Market street.

—Miss Lillian Jordan, of Lynchburg, Va., who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. McD. Russell, on North Ninth street, has returned home after a very pleasant visit.

—Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Foster returned yesterday from a visit to Mrs. Foster's old home at Canton. Pa. Mrs. Foster spent some time there and Mr. Foster went to accompany her home.

—Mrs. A. L. Hubbard, of Fayetteville, arrived in the city Sunday evening to be with her daughter, Miss Sudie Hubbard, who is quite sick at the home of Miss Alma Love, on South Second street.

—Charlotte Observer: "Miss Mary Ramsey, of Salisbury, was in the city yesterday, with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Young, on her way home from Wrightsville Beach——Miss Madeline DeRosset, of Wilmington, will arrive this week to visit Mrs. J. G. Simpson."

—Mr. R. D. Tucker received a cablegram from his nephew, Mr. George Tucker yesterday, stating that he had crossed the Atlantic safely and was at Plymouth, England. Mr. Tucker left here several weeks ago for a trip in the old country for his health.

—Rev. J. A. Smith and Miss Jennie Stanland have returned from Wallace, N. C., where they have been assisting with a very successful revival meeting, Miss Stanland being in charge of the music. Rev. Mr. Smith was assisted in the preaching by Rev. J. T. Jenkins, of Wilson, and 30 additions to the church resulted from the meeting.

ENTERTAIN I. O. O. F. ORPHANS.

Large Party Will be Here For Their Annual Outing Aug. 18th.

Arrangements are being completed for the entertainment of the children from the I. O. O. F. Home at Goldsboro upon the occasion of their annual visit to Wilmington and seaside resorts from August 18th to 21st inclusive. The joint committee in charge from the four Wilmington lodges is composed of Mr. H. O. Craig, chairman; Mr. John E. Wood, secretary; D. Wilborn Davis, O. A. Durant and L. W. Moore, of Cape Fear; J. R. Robinson, E. S. Cook and the chairman, from Orion; E. D. Craig, R. J. Shepard and T. G. Landen, of Wilmington No. 139; C. F. Williams, E. S. Hancock and the secretary from Hanover lodge. Sub-committees have been named as follows:

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LOCAL DOTS.

—The Rabbit's Foot Negro Comedy Co., a minstrel show under canvas, is billed to appear here on August 3rd. The show comes to Wilmington each season and is patronized largely by negroes.

—An excursion of 500 people arrived in the city yesterday from Mount Olive, spending the day in the city and at the beach, returning last night. Today two excursions will be here, one from Selma, via Fayetteville, and the other from Chadbourn and Whiteville.

—The charge against J. C. Crockrell, a young white man held for passing a worthless check, was dismissed by the Mayor yesterday morning without a hearing. He stated that he unknowingly issued the check without the money in the bank to cover it and that he had paid over the amount.

—Master Arthur George, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. David George, 1112 North Fifth street, is critically ill with lockjaw and spinal meningitis as the result of a fall he had some days ago at the home of his grandmother in East Wilmington. The death of the little fellow was expected almost at any moment last night.

—Mr. Marx S. Nathan, the clever young theatrical manager of this city, left last night for New York, where he will get the County Chairman Company, owned by his uncle, Mr. S. A. Schloss, of this city, ready for the road this season. On account of this being a political year, Mr. Schloss will have two companies on the road playing the big Ade comedy success.

BODY OF MISSING MAN FOUND

Tragic End of Mr. W. E. Sutton, Who Disappeared From Home Friday.

The mystery surrounding the absence of Mr. W. E. Sutton, whose strange disappearance from his home at Burgaw on Friday, was noted in these columns Sunday morning, was cleared up Sunday afternoon with the finding of the body by the Messrs. Lewis and Myers, of the searching party, about two miles below Burgaw near the public road. Exactly how Mr. Sutton met his death may never be known. One of the large arteries of his leg just below the knee was cut with a knife that was found some distance from where he lay but around the leg above the wound, a string had been tightly drawn and tied as if the victim of the tragedy had attempted to stop the flow of blood until help could reach him. While it is believed that his mind was affected when he went away, just how he came to his death may never be known, though no one suspects foul play. Near the spot where he was found his eye-glasses were found in his hat.

Mr. Sutton was about 60 years of age and was well thought of by all who knew him. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. R. C. Platt, of Wilmington, and Miss Mary Sutton, of Burgaw, and one son, Mr. J. L. Sutton, also of this city. There are also surviving four brothers, Messrs. M. V. Sutton, of Bladen county; A. C. Sutton, of Gravel Hill; G. A. and John Sutton, of Elizabethtown, N. C. Members of the family have the sincere sympathy of many friends in the deep affliction which is theirs. The funeral was conducted Sunday evening at Burgaw and the remains were laid to rest in the family burying ground there.

BIG PUMBING CONTRACT

H. E. Longley, of Wilmington, Successful Bidder at Rocky Mount.

Mr. H. E. Longley, the well known contracting plumber of this city, has just closed a contract for installing the plumbing and heating plant in the splendid new and modern hotel now being built at Rocky Mount, N. C., for Messrs. T. L. Bland and R. H. Ricks,, according to plans drawn by Messrs. Leitner & Wilkins, of this city. In the plumbing and heating contract, all told, there are about $11,000 involved and the Wilmington contractor is to be congratulated upon his success in landing the big order. Messrs. D. J. Rose & Co., of Rocky Mount, are the general contractors for the building, which is three-stories and basement and one of the most modern in the State.

PRETTY MARRIAGE.

Miss Carrie Costin Became the Brde of Mr. William Bell.

A very happy and pretty wedding was celebrated at the home of Mrs. W. D. Costin, on Middle Sound, Sunday morning, at 9 o'clock, at which time Miss Carrie Costin became the bride of Mr. William Davis Bell. The ceremony was performed by Elder G. W. Shepard, pastor of the Advent Christian church, and the marriage vows were witnessed by relatives and intimate acquaintances.

An informal reception followed the wedding, at which the couple were extended the happiest felicitations of all present. The couple will reside at Middle Sound, where they will be pleased to greet their friends.

Hold Johnson County Institute.

The Raleigh Times of Saturday says that Prof. Wingate Underhill, principal of Hemenway School in this city, passed through Raleigh Satuday on his way to Selma, N. C., where he will be engaged several weeks in the teachers' institute for Johnson county. Prof. Underhill, it is expected, will return in the Fall to his old position with the Wilmington Public Schools.

It Reached the Spot.

Mr. E. Humphrey, who owns a large general store at Omega, O., and is president of the Adams County Telephone Co., as well as of the Home Telephone Co., of Pike County, O., says of Dr. King's New Discovery: "It saved my life once. At least I think it did. It seemed to reach the spot—the very seat of my cough—when everything else failed." Dr. King's New Discovery not only reaches the cough spot; it heals the sore spots and the weak spots in throat, lungs and chest. Sold under guarantee at R. R. Bellamy's drug store. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

THE JAPANESE DANCE.

Maze of Bewildering Beauty at Lumina Last Evening—Great Success.

The largest crowd ever seen at Lumina witnessed the Japanese dance last night and all were charmed with the beauty of it all. No more successful dance was ever given either in the city or at the beach and numbered among those in attendance were the most fashionable and exclusive people of the city.

Over 600 Japanese lanterns, parasols and numerous wall banners made up the scheme of decorations, in the ball room proper being a number of lanterns of large and especially beautiful design. Incense burners all around the dancing floor gave quite an Oriental perfume to the atmosphere while tiny Japanese wind bells tinkled merrily from everywhere. It would be hard to imagine a more lovely scene than the beautiful pavilion thus gayly attired and thronged with dancers in pretty and fantastic costume. Three favors were given during the evening. First were pretty little Japanese parasols and then the children were given the floor for one dance and received the prettiest of little Japanese dolls. Next came the presentation of varicolored Japanese kimonas of heavy crepe paper, which were donned by the lady dancers for the grand march to the accompaniment of "The Kimona Girl," by the orchestra, that was one of the prettiest figures of the entire hop, the colored lights being turned on while the dancers were led through the bewildering maze of beauty and colors. The music was excellent, all of Japanese airs, the weather conditions were ideal and the crowd was large. What more could have contributed to the success of the hop? The dancers and spectators returned to the city on late cars enthusiastic in their admiration of the pretty and most charming affair.

THRILLING WESTERN ROMANCE.

Stage Coach Days of '49 Vividly Pictured at the Bijou Today.

A thrilling Western romance of the days of '49 will be vividly pictured today at both afternoon and evening performances as the feature bill of the week at the Bijou on North Front street. The stage coach is held up by real live Indians, the occupants are relieved of their jewels and other belongings; the Indians have hardly rid den away when cowboys come to the scene and immediately start in pursuit of the Red Men. The Indians drop their booty but capture one of the cowboys. An Indian maid falls in love with the handsome young captive and liberates him. He is caught again however, and bound upon a wild broncho which is then started across the prairie. The Indian maid rides after the broncho, lassos him, giving for the second time the young American his freedom. The cowboy calls to companions for help. They overpower the Red Men and force the chief to give his consent to the marriage of the maiden and the young American. The wedding is celebrated in true Indian style and they live happy ever afterwards. It is a thrilling story, well told in the best of moving pictures.

THE SHEMWELL CASE.

Has Warranted Conductor and Will Sue the Railroad Company.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lexington, N. C., July 27.—Growing out of the incident on a Southern Railway train a few days ago, Mr. Baxter Shemwell was anxiously awaiting a telegram tonight from Greensboro informing him of the arrest of Conductor Smithers, but at 9 o'clock no message had been received. The warrant charged assault with a deadly weapon. It is understood that a warrant will probably be sworn out later so charging Conductor Smithers. Smithers is said to have evaded the officers in Greensboro. The warrant against the conductor was sworn out before Justice of the Peace Moore and the trial is to take place in Lexington. Mr. Shemwell has instituted suit against the railroad for damages but the complaint has not yet been filed.

Greensboro, N. C., July 27.—Baxter Shemwell, charged with assault with deadly weapon in two cases, and carrying concealed weapons, in connection with his drawing pistols and forcing Conductor Smithers, of the Southern's New York and Southwestern Limited train to stop at Lexington and let him off, was held in a bond of $1,000 for his appearance at Guilford Superior Court in September. The train is not scheduled to stop at Lexington.

BASEBALL AT BURGAW.

Home Team Defeated by Faison in Score of 8 to 5 Yesterday.

(By Long Distance Telephone.)

Burgaw, N. C., July 27.—Burgaw was defeated by Faison on the local baseball grounds here today, score 8 to 5. The game was well played by both teams and witnessed by a large crowd of spectators. Burgaw was handicapped by the absence of one of her best players. Other games are in prospect here for the remainder of the season.

Racing Matinee Today.

If the weather is fair the indications are that a very large crowd will attend the racing matinee under the auspices of the Wilmington Driving Association this afternoon beginning at 3:30 o'clock at the old Fair Grounds. The track is in excellent condition and there will be three trotting and pacing events with probably a running race.

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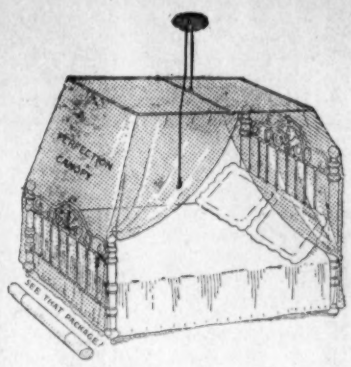

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Mosquito Canopy, 70-inch net, swings from ceiling.....$1.25
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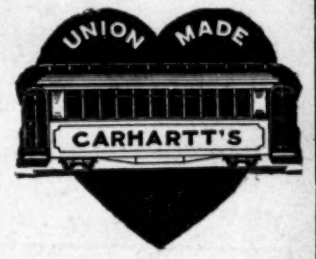

Carhartt's Union Made Overalls, the best overalls made, only $1.00.

New lot just received; all sizes, 29-inch to 50-inch waist measure.

Mason's Fruit Jars, all sizes.

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AUTO AND TRAIN COLLIDED

Prominent New York Woman and Chauffeur Are Killed.

(By Wire to the Morning Star)

Glenhead, L. I., July 27.—Two persons are dead and two seriously injured as the result of a collision here tonight between an automobile and the "millionaires express" of the Long Island Railroad, a train that carries many wealthy New Yorkers to their summer homes on Long Island. Miss Leight Townsend, a New York girl of social prominence, who was a passenger in the automobile, died a few minutes after the accident, and Chas. Smith, chauffeur died on the way to a hospital; the other occupants of the automobile were Miss Beatrice Eddy, of Brooklyn and Lloyd Robinson, son of Charles Robinson, owner of the automobile.

Lloyd Robinson was taking the automobile party to his father's summer home at Sea Cliff when the accident occurred. There is a long, steep hill on Glenwood Road leading to the railroad crossing. The automobile running at its highest speed to climb the hill, and when the top was reached the machine darted forward on the level roadway.

MORE DISCLOSURES MADE.

Startling Conditions Brought Out in Georgia Investigation.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Atlanta, Ga., July 27.—Further disclosures of irregularities and inhuman treatment of convicts were brought out today before the Legislative Committee investigating the conduct of the State prison board and the convict lease system. Joel Hurt, formerly President of the Atlanta Street Railway system, testified as to the opening of competitive bids behind closed doors, and Gen. Clifford Anderson, a leading local attorney, told of other irregularities in the awarding of contracts for convicts.

Edward Strickland, who said he had worked in 100 convict camps, testified of neglect in the camps, and the cruelty of convict wardens. He said the cries of negroes being whipped were borne on the air at almost any time from the Chattahoochee Brick Company camp. He stated that he had known of 50 men being whipped in one morning, the whipping boss being engaged from sunrise until eight o'clock.

One dollar and thirty-five cent French voile, 45 inches wide, for 98 cents at Rehder's Tuesday's special sale. **

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The King of Soil Improvers, also makes splendid fall, winter and spring grazing, the earliest green feed, or a good hay crop.

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AN IMPORTANT DECISION

By the Inter-State Commerce Commission in Regard to the Proposed Increase in Railway Rates, in the South—Freight Cases.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, D. C., July 27.—The announcement by the Inter-State Commerce Commission today that it would consider the reasonableness of rates after notice of increases by the shippers and prior to their filing of protests is regarded as of widespread importance. Following closely upon the action of Cincinnati shippers appealing to the President to induce the commission to take this course, it is generally believed here that the suggestion for the statement came from the President. Chairman Knapp said last Saturday that the law contemplated investigation of the reasonableness of rates by the commission after they have become effective, but he thought the commission might decide that the increase is effective after notice has been given by a carrier and before the new rate actually goes into effect. The commission's statement today takes that view of its powers.

There is much interest in the action by Judge Speer, of the Southern Judicial district of Georgia, granting a prelimnary injunction restraining the Atlantic Coast Line, the Louisville and Nashville; the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis; the Cincinnati, New Orleans and Texas Pacific and the Southern Railway companies from putting into effect on August 1st the increased rates on shipments of staple products from Western to Southern points.

In 1903 Judge Speer took the same course in relation to the increase of 2 cents per hundred pounds on yellow pine by the Southern Railway and Southeastern carriers, including the Southeastern Freight Association. The advance was on rates from Georgia and Chattanooga to Cincinnati and other points on the Ohio River. The increase was promulgated by the carriers to take effect April 15, 1903 and would have become effective, except for the temporary injunction granted by Judge Speer April 14th. On May 16th the court dissolved the temporary injunction and withheld further action until the case could be determined by the Inter-State Commerce Commission. The court placed the carriers under bond to refund the over-charge should the commission decide that its increased rate was unreasonable and the new rate was then allowed to go into effect. The commission deciding in favor of complainants, the railroads refused to obey their order and Judge Speer sustained the commission's decision and enforced its order favoring the lower rate.

THREE WERE DROWNED.

Launch Capsized in Monongahela River Carrying 20 Workmen.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Pittsburg, Pa., July 27.—A gasoline launch, "The Merry Widow," carrying from 16 to 20 workmen from the Jones & Laughlin Steel Co. plant across the Monongahela river to their homes in the southside section of the city, was capsized shortly after 6 o'clock tonight in 20 feet of water by waves from a coal boat. The following men are known to be drowned: Henry Schaffer, 18 years old; George Kimberly, 26 years old, and Thomas R. Rhydderck, 52 years old.

Whether others were drowned is not known. Considerable confusion prevails, however, and up to 9 o'clock tonight only a few of the men had been located safe.

LANDSLIDE FOR CAMPBELL.

Renominated Governor of Texas by 75,000 Majority.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Dallas, Tex., July 27.—Additional returns received by the News tonight make it certain that Governor Campbell has been renominated by a majority of about 75,000 and that Attorney general Davidson has also been re-nominated by a majority which may reach 25,000.

Returns so far to hand show a majority against the proposition to submit a prohibition amendment, but the margin is so narrow that it will require the full count to determine what the result has been. All of the Congressmen who had opposition have been re-nominated with the possible exception of S. B. Cooper, in the second district.

FATAL ALCOHOL EXPLOSION

Boys Carelessly Set Off Barrel in Georgia Depot.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Red Oak, Ga., July 27.—As the result of the explosion of alcohol in the Atlanta and West Point Railroad depot here late Sunday Reginald Smith, aged 15, is dead; William White, another boy, is perhaps fatally burned and the depot is destroyed by fire. Charles Suttles, a friend of the two boys, had his hands badly burned in attempting to rescue them. One of the boys, it is said, struck a match near the barrel of alcohol which exploded and cut off the boy's escape.

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BASE BALL

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American League.

At St. Louis, 6; Washington, 0.
At Cleveland, 3; Boston, 4.
At Detroit, 4; New York, 2.
At Chicago, 1; Philadelphia, 2.

National League.

At Brooklyn, 1; Chicago, 3.
Second game: Brooklyn, 6; Chicago, 5.
At Boston, 10 Cincinnati, 1.
Second game: Boston, 6; Cincinnati, 0.
At New York, 3 Pittsburg, 4.
At Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 1.
Second game: Philadelphia, 5; St. Louis, 1.

South Atlantic League.

At Charleston, 4; Jacksonville, 3.
At Macon, 0; Savannah, 2.
At Augusta, 7; Columbia, 0.

Southern League.

At Atlanta, 2; Mobile 4.
At Birmingham, 10; Memphis, 0.
At Nashville, 3; New Orleans, 2.
At Montgomery, 4; Little Rock, 3.

Carolina League.

At Winston-Salem, 5; Spartanburg, 5 (6 innings, rain.)
At Greensboro, 5; Anderson, 0.
At Charlotte, 3; Greenville, 0.

Virginia League.

At Lynchburg, 1; Richmond, 1 (called 4th, rain.)
At Portsmouth, 2; Roanoke, 0.

TWO POLITICAL EVENTS.

Taft Addressed a Joint Meeting—Senator Foraker to Open Campaign.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Cincinnati, O., July 27.—Two important events politically resulted from today's meetings and conferences incident to the final notification day preparations. William H. Taft addressed a joint meeting of the Ohio State Central and Executive Committee, identifiying himself closely with the State campaign and making it plain that whatever had been done by Arthur I. Vorys and other State leaders had been approved by him.

Just what is to be the status of Senator Foraker at the opening of the campaign at Youngstown on September 5th, is to be decided by a special committee of the State Executive Committee appointed today. The duty of this committee is to decide on a speakers' programme with particular instructions to report on the advisability of inviting the Senior Ohio Senator to make an address.

The State Central Committee settled the three county committee contests in favor of what is termed the "simon pure Taft men."

The joint session of the State Central committee and the Executive Committees was largely attended. In calling the meeting to order, State Chairman H. W. Brown referred to the resolutions of the committee on its organization declaring that the Republicans of the State were in favor of Taft for President and said that the present meeting was a fruition of that action.

Governor Harris followed with emphasis on the value of thorough organization for political effectiveness, and Arthur I. Vorys spoke on the splendid ticket the State had to work for.

—Chapel Hill, July 25.—Dr. Wm. R. Vance, dean of the law department of George Washington University, delivered a very fine lecture before the Summer Law School of the University yesterday. Dr. Vance took for his subject, "The Application of Criminal law." He confined himself particularly to this country and showed conclusively how very remiss the courts have grown in convicting for criminal offenses. His powerful argument, which was corroborated by a large number of convincing statistics, portrayed a condition of affairs that is horrifying in the extreme. He closed with an earest appeal to the young men of the profession to throw themselves into the fight and use all the influence in their power to exterminate the maudlin sentimentality which gives rise to it. Dr. Vance is a man of charming personality, a clear and logical thinker, and a speaker of force and magnetism.

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Just in time with kidney ills
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Before backache becomes chronic;
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A. M. Wilson, 402 South Fifth street, Wilmington, N. C., says: "You can put me down as a strong and willing endorser of Doan's Kidney Pills, as I know them to be the best remedy to be had for kidney trouble. My back was very weak and lame and though I wore plasters and used liniments, I did not get any relief. The kidney secretions were so frequent in action that I had to get up several times at night and they also contained a heavy sediment. I heard so much about Doan's Kidney Pills that I decided to try them and got a box at Robert R. Bellamy's drug store. They cured me after other remedies had failed and it can be plainly seen why I am so willing to endorse them."

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A Singular Meeting.

[Original.]

This story is not only founded on fact—it is fact, only it is put in story form and the names are fictitious.

In the latter part of the last century a steamer crossing the Atlantic was lost by collision in a fog. Among the passengers never heard from were a lady and her little daughter.

Twenty-five years passed. One summer a "want ad." appeared in a newspaper stating that a lady desired the position of chaperon to young people on a trip to Europe. This led to the engagement of Miss Adelia Craven to take charge of two young girls, Teresa Fay and Rachel Cunningham.

These three were one day visiting one of the art museums in Dresden. Miss Fay stood looking at a picture which seemed to interest her, and while she was doing so Miss Craven, the chaperon, came up.

"A copy of that picture is in father's collection at home," said Miss Fay.

"It is also familiar to me," said Miss Craven. "It has been a part my surroundings at some time in my life, but I can't recall when or where. I have it. I have or had an uncle who had a copy of the picture in his library."

"Why do you say 'have or had?'"

"Because I have not heard of my uncle for years."

"Did he lose you, or did you lose him?"

"I don't know. I was quite young when I last saw him."

Whether there was something in the picture connecting the two or what was the reason, from the time of this conversation about it there seemed to be something in the voice or the manner or the walk of her chaperon that was familiar to Miss Fay. The incident led the two to chat upon family matters connected with the past, and there was a singular sameness in certain events pertaining to both families. While there was some sixteen years' difference in the ages of the two, there sprang up a lively friendship between them. It became evident that instead of a friendship during the trip they would more likely be intimate for life. Miss Cunningham met friends, joined them, and this left the other two alone together.

One day while traveling in a railway car a gentleman asked Miss Fay if she would object to his raising a window. She said she would not. Then he asked if it would be disagreeable to her mother, referring to Miss Craven. The girl smilingly explained that Miss Craven was not her mother or any relation to her, whereupon the gentleman apologized, saying that he had been uncertain whether they were mother and daughter or an older and a younger sister. He certainly saw resemblances between them, though he could not define them.

Miss Fay had letters to people in Rome, which procured her an entree to the best Italian society there. A young man of excellent family fell in love with her and signified his wish to make her a proposition of marriage. Unfortunately there was no one on the continent of Europe of whom he could make a formal application except the chaperon, who was not authorized to give the family consent. The result was that Miss Fay wrote her father of the affair. He took the first steamer, traveling night and day till he reached Italy.

"What sort of a chaperon is this you have," he exclaimed, "to permit you to receive attention to lead to such an unfortunate result?"

"There is no unfortunate result in my case, papa," she replied, "nor in hers either."

"What do you mean by her case?"

"She's engaged already, while I'm waiting for your consent. A member of the Italian parliament, a widower, wants her."

"A fine pair to send abroad together! Both you and your chaperon receiving marriage proposals! However, I will look into this affair of yours."

While Mr. Fay's investigations were pending his daughter told him of the picture that both had seen in Dresden, a copy of which was in both families.

"There has never been but one copy of that picture made," replied Mr. Fay, "and that was for me by special permission."

"That proves it," replied the daughter. "I have known it all the while. She is a relative of ours."

There followed an investigation not of a man's family, but of Miss Craven's. The next day Mr. Fay called upon that lady's fiance and said to him:

"I understand, sir, that you are engaged to Miss Craven and she has told you she has no relative of whom you may make a formal application for her hand. When she told you this she was mistaken."

The gentleman appeared much interested. Mr. Fay proceeded:

"Many years ago a ship was lost at sea by collision with another vessel in a fog. My sister and her little girl were passengers on the lost vessel. I never had heard a word of the mother or of the daughter till yesterday. By a remarkable chain of coincidences it has been discovered that Miss Craven is my niece. The child was rescued, adopted and raised, growing up without knowing who she was."

The outcome was a happy one for all concerned. The two friends were delighted to find that they were cousins. Miss Craven was delighted to know that she was a member of the Fay family instead of being a waif. This was especially a relief since the man she married prided himself on his ancestry, and it had been mortifying to his fiancee that she could not even tell him who her parents were.

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BASEBALL—Three games of baseball. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, between the Goldsboro Giants and the Compress Giants, of Wilmington. Game called at 4:30 P. M. Both white and colored invited. J. Byrd and G. Graham managers. jy 26-1t*

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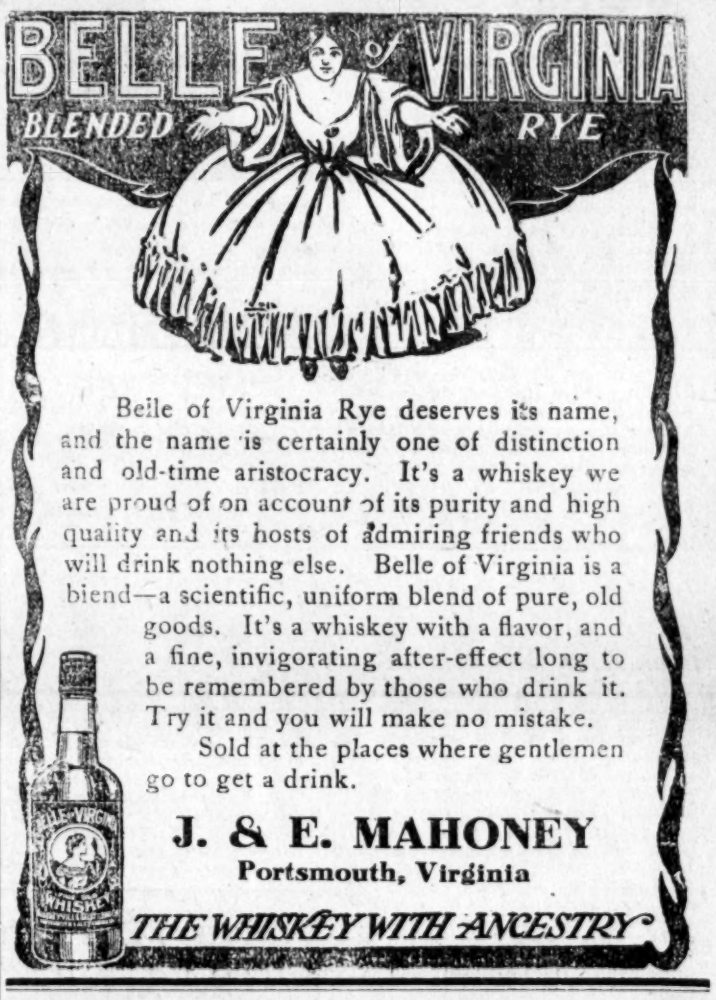

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—Snow Hill Square Deal: Captain Swift Galloway, one morning last week stumbled over a dog on the floor, falling and sprained his hip, which kept him in doors for several days. He is much better now.

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—Scottish Chief: Together with the shipment of cantaloupes and melons, and the instalment of the water works and sewerage system, Maxton is the busiest place in the country these days. The returns for the shipments are not building plutocrats, but nobody is ready to give up.

—Newbern Sun: A petition is being circulated today by several business men asking the business men of this city, especially those who deal with the Norfolk & Southern, to sign the paper which will be forwarded to the receivers of the road, requesting them to retain Mr. R. E. L. Bunch in the present capacity as traffic manager.

—Reidsville, July 25.—The local Democracy is planning to give Hon. W. W. Kitchin a warm time when he comes to the county, August 3rd, to make his initial speech of the campaign. It is the purpose of the committee to provide a number of flags and banners with suitable inscriptions for use in the procession.

—Smithfield, July 25.—An enthusiastic Bryan-Kern-Kitchin club was organized here last night with W. W. Cole president and C. H. Martin secretary, and a membership of 204. Similar organizations will be formed all over the county at an early date. The Republican County Convention met here today and nominated county and lekislative ticket.

—Salisbury, July 25.—James L. Watson, aged 28 years, a well known Salisburyan, was found dead in bed at a hotel in Waynesville early today. Death is supposed to have resulted from heart failure, though Mr. Watson retired as usual last night. He was a traveling man, and the remains were identified by Assistant Attorney-General Hayden Clement, who was in Waynesville. He was a prominent Elk and Knight of Pythias. He leaves a father, mother and two sisters residing in Salisbury.

—News and Observer: During Governor Glenn's stay in Ocean Grove and Asbury Park, N. J., he was constantly sought after to deliver addresses. Few public men in the South enjoy such popularity in the North as Governor Glenn and should he accept all the invitations tendered him to speak beyond the Mason and Dixon line, he would have no time to spend in his home State. The press of the famous Jersey resort was full of Gov. Glenn's interviews and addresses while he was there.

—Asheville, July 25.—Gustave A. Klocke, who came here about ten days ago from New Orleans with his bride, died here this morning. They had been married less than 15 days and had come to spend their honeymoon here. About two days ago he was taken suddenly sick and doctors were called in, but death ensued this morning. He is said to be a printer of New Orleans, and is about 40 years of age. His wife will accompany his remains to New Orleans tomorrow night, where the interment will be made.

—Charlotte Observer: One of the pleasures of the coming campaign will be a joint debate between Col. Walter Murphy, of Salisbury, and Col. Walter R. Henry, of Charlotte, the one representing the Democrats and the other the Republicans as elector-at-large. The approaching State convention of the Republicans will name Mr. Henry if all signs do not fail. In the days of Mr. Henry's Democracy he was a wheel horse. Later he went to the Populist camp and made the welkin ring from every stump in the State. After that he joined the Republicans. There is a good time a-coming in the sweet bye and bye.

—There are a lot of idle fellows of both races, who make a nuisance of themselves chasing through the cars while trains are passing through the city. These young men and boys are not always after just the little ride, but they are sometimes looking for what they can grab. Passengers frequently miss bundles—and are not sure whether they were lost or stolen. Only a few days ago a negro passing through a first-class coach sneaked away with a satchel of a lady passenger, and it was only by the merest chance the identity of the thief was ever discovered—Newbern Journal.

—High Point, July 25.—One of the most peculiar cases on record developed here this week and which caused the death of the two-year-old girl of Mr. Jones Griffith. For some time the child has suffered with complications of diseases and recently its stomach began to swell until it assumed enormous proportions, and strangest of all, three large cracks appeared in the child's head, through which the pulsating of the brain could be seen. The attending physician had never had or seen a case like it, and the physicians that saw the child were baffled. The parents, after the child's death, were asked to let the physicians perform an autopsy, but they would not consent to it. The remains of the little one were carried to Pinnacle, this State for interment. This peculiar case calls to mind the aged lady with horns growing out from her head and who has visited High Point on several occasions. Her name is Hightower and she is seventy or more years of age. Two large horns, very much resembling those of a ram, protrude from the head and causes Mrs. Hightower, so she says, extreme pain at times. She says that when the horns began to appear her head al-almost split open with pain.

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LAND ENTRY NO. 9117.

I hereby enter and lay claim to the following vacant and unappropriated land in Masonboro township in the county of New Hanover, lying in the Marsh of Masonboro Sound, on the South side of the main channel and beginning at the mouth of Jennette Creek and running thence southwestwardly with the main channel of the sound about 450 yards to the mouth of Shell Bed Creek; thence southwardly with the run of said creek about 30 yards to a stake; thence a northeastwardly course to the mouth of a cut where Clams Creek empties into Jennette Creek; thence with Jennette Creek to the beginning, containing (3) three acres, more or less.

This the 23rd day of July, 1908.
W. A. PINER,

Entry filed July 23rd, 1908.
JOHN HAAR,
Register of Deeds and Acting Entry Taker for New Hanover County.
jy 24-30d.

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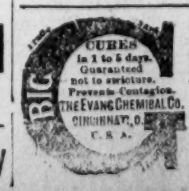

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Steamer Southport leaves Wilmington for Southport daily at 10:00 A. M., leaves Southport for Wilmington 2:30 P. M.
ju 12-tf.

Report of the Condition of

The Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., of Wilmington, State of North Carolina, at the close of business, July 15, 1908.

RESOURCES:

Loans	$661,840.97	
Demand Loans	13,309.44	$ 675,156.41
Bonds		9,000.00
Furniture and fixtures		100.00
Cash items		30.00
Gold Coin		370.00
Silver Coin		233.79
Currency		1,669.00
Due from Banks		30,018.89
Total		$ 716,578.09

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock		$ 50,000.00
Net Profits		36,425.03
Accrued Interest due depositors		2,500.00
Cashier's checks		467.55
Demand certificates	$ 43.959.89	
Deposits	583,225.62	627,185.51
Total		$ 716,578.09

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co., do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER,
Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
B. O. STONE,
JOHN H. KUCK,
CHAS. J. MITCHELL,
Directors.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th day of July, 1908.
W. B. DRAKE, JR.
Notary Public.
My Commission Expires August 21, 1908.
jy 19-1t.

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T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
Jun 24-tf.

WEEK END RATES VIA SEABOARD.

The Seaboard announces May 30th until September 30 round-trip rates from Wilmington as follows:

From Wilmington to—

Jackson Springs, N. C.	$3.85
Lincolnton, N. C.	7.10
Shelby, N. C.	7.85
Rutherfordton, N. C.	8.65
Hickory, N. C.	7.95
Lenoir, N. C.	10.00
Blowing Rock	10.00
Chimney Rock, N. C.	10.00

Tickets to Jackson Spring sold for Saturday trains, good returning Monday; to Blowing Rock and Chimney Rock Friday and Saturday trains, good returning Tuesday. To other points for Friday and Saturday trains, good returning Monday following date of sale.

For further information apply to Ticket Agent, or,
C. H. GATTIS,
Traveling Passenger Agent,
ju 8-2m. Raleigh, N. C.

TO
THE BEACH
SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In effect May 30th, 1908.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
6:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M. 12:00 P. M.	6:15 A. M. 7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
*6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4 00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight depot open daily except Sunday from 8:00 A. M. to 7:00 P. M.

*This train leaves from Front and Princess. Freight received from 5:40 to 6:00 A. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Leave Wilmington	Leave Beach
8:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M. 12:00 P. M.	7:15 A. M. 9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.

FREIGHT.

11:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.

Freight depot open on Sundays.

10:00 A. M.	11:00 A. M.

Carolina Place, Delgado and Golf Links.

Leave Junction every 30 minutes from 6:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Sundays 8:45 A. M. to 10:15 P. M. Leave Golf Links every 30 minutes from 7:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M. Sundays 9:00 A. M. to 10:30 P. M..

Special Baseball Schedule.

On days when games are advertised cars will leave Junction for grounds every 10 minutes from 2:15 to 4:15 P. M. On these days beach trains leaving Junction at 2:30, 3:00, 3:30 and 4:00 P. M. will not stop at the Baseball Grounds.

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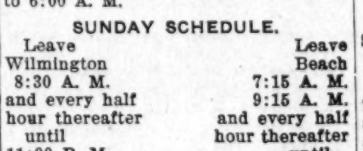

New York for Wilmington.
S. S. Navahoe.....Friday, July 31st
S. S. Carib.....Friday, Aug. 7th
Wilmington to New York.
S. S. Carib.....Saturday, Aug. 1st
S. S. Navahoe.....Saturday, Aug. 8th
Wilmington for Georgetown.
S. S. Carib.....Monday, July 27th
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Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect May 31st, 1908.

NOTICE.
The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 43.	No. 41.
Lv Wilmington	8:40 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:03 pm	9:55 pm
Ar Rocky Mount	1:33 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:30 am
Ar Norfolk	6:05 pm	
Ar Wilson	1:00 pm	10:53 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:27 am
Ar Richmond	8:00 pm	6:10 am
Ar Washington	11:50 pm	9:50 am
Ar Baltimore	1:41 am	11:20 am
Ar Philadelphia	4:21 am	1:41 pm
Ar New York	7:23 am	4:13 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 43.
Lv New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar Philadelphia	11:37 am	12:15 am
Ar Baltimore	2:12 pm	2:51 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar Weldon	9:59 pm	11:28 am
Ar Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar Wilson	11:47 pm	1:58 pm
Ar Goldsboro	6:15 am	3:00 pm
Ar Wilmington	9:30 am	6:10 pm

BETWEEN ILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:25 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:15 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sa'n.	6:20 pm	2:10 am	9:54 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7 15 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		6:25 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:25 am
Lv Jacksonville	9:10 am	7:45 pm
Ar Savannah	1:31 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:52 pm	5:20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	9:55 am
Ar Wilmington	12:55 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:20 am	Ar 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv. 9:25 am

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No. 44 at 12:45 A. M. from Charlotte, Hamlet and local Stations.

No. 40 arrives 12:50 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 38 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, and all points North and South.

Trains Leave Wilmington as Follows

	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n	4:50 A. M.	3:00 P. M.
Ar. Lumb't'n	7:26 A. M.	5:55 P. M.
Ar. Maxton	8:15 A. M.	6:49 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet	9:15 A. M.	7:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet	9:45 A. M.	8:25 P. M.
Ar. Monroe	11:40 A. M.	10:25 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte	12:35 P. M.	11:30 P. M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66 for Raleigh and Richmond and points north.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No 41 for Atlanta, Birmingham and Charlotte, with No. 34 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth-Norfolk and No. 42 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, July 27

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market steady $2.35.

TAR—Market, firm $1.50.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.00 per barrel for hard, $2.60 and $3.50 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine nothing doing; rosin nothing doing; tar firm $2.50; crude turpentine $3.00, $4.50 and $5.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	72
Rosin	77
Tar	4
Crude Turpentine	104

Receipts—Same day last year 106 casks spirits turpentine; 209 barrels rosin; 16 barrels tar; 97 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year—Nominal, 11 7-8 cents for middling.

Receipts—12 bales, same day last year — bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime 65c; extra prime 70c; fancy 75c per bushel of 28 lbs; Virginia—No. 1, 70c; fancy 75@80c; Spanish 75@85c.

CORN—Firm, 95c per bushel for white; 92 1-2@95 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, new 14@15c; shoulders 11@12 1-2c; sides 35c.

EGGS—Dull at 16@17c.

CHICKENS—Dull at 12 1-2@30c for large springs; growns, firm, 35 to 38c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 8c; green, dull 4c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—New 90c@$1.00 per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 90@$1.00 per bushel.

COW PEAS—$1.90@$2.00 per bushel.

WOOL—Free of burr, 15c; burry wool, 10 to 12 1-2c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 27—The strength of the old crop months was the feature in an otherwise dull and uninteresting cotton market today, the close being steady at a net advance of 21 to 42 points on the near months while later months were only 5 to 7 points net higher. Sales were estimated at 75,000 bales. The market opened steady at a decline of 3 points to an advance of 1 point, the gain being only one position as a result of covering while other deliveries were lower, and the general list sold off to a net loss of 3 to 5 points during the early session owing to lower cables, good weather and bearish crop advices. The decline was checked by support from the Wall Street bull clique in the absence of aggressive bear pressure and during the afternoon the strength of August became the chief speculative feature. That position sold up to 9.74 or 35 points net higher and closed at 9.75 bid. This was a sustaining factor with reference to the later months, which, however, descended only slightly to the old crop strength and general business was inactive. The close was at practically the best point. Next Friday will be the first August notice day in the local market as well as government condition report day and the demand for August consequently suggests that the local bulls intend to secure control of the local stock market as a step toward a squeeze of October contracts. Crop advices published during the day were generally very favorable and new crop cotton is moving more rapidly in the Southwest. Southern spot markets officially reported were unchanged to 3-16 cents lower. The Southwest being relatively easy.

Receipts at the ports today, 4,746 bales against 2,666 bales last week and 1,924 bales last year. For the week 25,000 bales against 33,160 last week and 10,245 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 22,603 bales against 291 last year and at Houston 1,108 bales against 382 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands 10.80; middling gulf 11.05; sales 800 bales.

Futures opened and closed steady.

Month.	Oen.	Close.
July	x9.30	9.75
August	9.36	9.75
September	xx9.30	9.55
October	9.29	9.38
November	—	9.17
December	9.13	9.19
January	xx9.08	9.14
February	9.10	9.14
March	xx9.09	9.17

x asked.
xx bid.

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 10 5-16; net receipts 1,195.

New Orleans—Quiet, 10 1-2; net receipts 2,603.

Mobile—Nominal, 10 3-8; net receipts 220.

Savannah—Quiet, 10 3-8; net receipts 431.

Charleston—Quiet, 10 3-8; net receipts 96.

Wilmington—Nominal.

Norfolk—Quiet, 11; net receipts 201.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 1-2.

New York—Quiet, 10.80.

Boston—Quiet, 10.80.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 11.05.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 4,746; Great Britain 8,260; France 50; Continent 1,459; stocks 219,279.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 9,437; Great Britain 8,597; France 6,350; Continent 1,509.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 8,323,377; Great Britain 2,887,124; France 838,626; Continent 3,284,231; Japan 190,776; Mexico 1,549.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Quiet, 10 5-16; net receipts 1,108.

Augusta—Quiet, 10 7-8; net receipts 70.

Memphis—Steady, 10 1-2; net receipts 14.

St. Louis—Dull, 10 7-8; net receipts 59.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 128.

Louisville—Firm, 11 1-4.

Little Rock—Dull, 10 1-4.

Total today—Net receipts 1,379; gross receipts 2,222; shipments 3,859; sales 926; stocks 82,940.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, July 27.—Closing cotton, spot in quiet demand; prices easier; American middling fair 6.53; good middling 6.17; middling 5.89; low middling 5.51; good ordinary 4.93; ordinary 4.53. The sales of the day were 5,000 bales of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 4,800 American. Receipts 4,000 bales including 3,000 American. Futures opened quiet and steady and closed easy. American G. O. C.: July 5.47; July and August 5.46 1-2; August and September 5.19 1-2; September and October 5.07; October and November 5.02 1-2; November and December 4.97 1-2; December and January 4.99; January and February 4.93 1-2; February and March 4.94 1-2; March and April 4.95 1-2; April and May 4.96

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 27.—The main topic of conversation among all factors in the dry goods trade is the extraordinary auction sales of napped cotton goods and woolen and worsted dress goods which are scheduled to take place during the coming month. Opinions differ as to what effect the public sales of 19,000 boxes of cotton fabrics and 50,000 pieces of dress goods will have on competing lines. The value of the dress goods is placed at $1,250,000. Heavy orders were booked on staple prints today. This was looked for as the new jobbing price goes into effect tomorrow. The best raw silk is five cents a pound higher.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 27.—The reactionary tone which reasserted itself in the stock market today seemed to be based on technical causes largely. The distribution of buying orders was made to look as though coming from the strong interests which have supported prices for a considerable period past. The weight of the selling orders on the advance created the suspicion that this demonstrative buying was designed to cover efforts to realize. Prices consequently turned downwards. There were some selling orders for London account which aggravated the depression. The information as to Judge Taft's speech on which contrary movements in stocks were based was in agreement as to the substance of speech, indicating a conflict of views over its significance. Reports regarding the friction between Holland and Venezuela bore signs of bear origin. Downward course of commodities prices indicated the hopeful views held regarding all the important crops. Railway officials admitted only moderate improvement in the traffic situation. Iron and steel trade reports were favorable, but some fears were felt that the quarterly report of the United States Steel corporation to be given out tomorrow would prove disappointing.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales par value $2,458,000. U. S. 2s registered declined 3-8 and the 2s coupons advanced 1-8 per cent on call. Total sales today were 715,900 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 27.—Money on call easy 1 to 1 1-4 per cent., ruling rate 1 1-4; closing bid 1; offered at 1 1-4. Time loans very dull; sixty days 2 to 2 1-4 per cent and 90 days 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent., six months 4 per cent. Close prime mercantile paper 3 1-2 per cent. sterling exchange firmer with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8690 to 4.8695 for demand and at 4.8530 to 4.8540 for sixty day bills. Commercial bills 4.84 3-4 to 4.84 7-8; bar silver 53 3-8; Mexican dollars 45.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	103 1-4
U. S. refunding 2s cou	103 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	100
U. S. 3s cou	100 3-4
U. S. new 4s reg ex in	120 1-4
U. S. new 4s cou	122 1-4
American Tobacco Co. 6s	107 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	93 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	99 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s	98
Seaboard Air Line 4s b	57 3-4
Southern Railway 5s	99 1-4
U. S. Steel 5s	99 7-8

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	73 1-2
American Car & Foundry	39
American Cotton Oil Co	33 1-4
Amr. Locomotive	53 1-2
Amr. Semlting & Ref pfd	107
Amr. Sugar Refining	130 1-2
Amr. Tobacco pfd	95
Atchison	86 1-2
Atchison pfd	92
Atlantic Coast Line	93
Baltimore & Ohio	92 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	83
Cheseapeake & Ohio	42 7-8
Erie	22 3-4
Erie 1st pfd	39
Erie 2nd pfd	28
Kansas City Southern	24
Kansas City Southern pfd	55 1-2
L. & N.	108 3-8
Norfolk & Western	73 1-2
Pennsylvania	124 1-2
People's Gas	95 1-2
Reading	117 3-8
Rock Island Co.	17 3-4
Rock Island Co. pfd	33 1-2
Standard Oil	640
Southern Pacific	92 1-2
Southern Pacific pfd	118
Southern Railway	18 3-4
Southern Railway pfd	48 1-2
U. S. Steel	44 1-2
U. S. Steel pfd	108 1-8
Va.-Car. Chemical	25
Va.-Car. Chemical pfd	100
Seaboard Air Line	
Seaboard Air Line pfd	
Western Union	56

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, July 27,—Flour steady but quiet.

Rye Flour—Steady.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Rye—Dull.

Wheat—Easy; No. 2 red 98 3-8 to 99 3-4. Options broke over a cent per bushel, being finally rallied a trifle, last prices showing 7-8 to 1 1-8c net loss. July 1.00 1-4; Sept. 97 5-8; Dec. 99 1-2.

Corn—Steady; No. 2 83 1-2. Options 1 1-8c net lower. Sept. 83 3-8; Dec. 71 3-4.

Oats—Firmer; mixed 60 to 62.

Beef, Cut Meats and Petroleum—Steady.

Lard—Easy; Western 9.30 to 9.40. Refined, barely steady.

Pork and Tallow—Barely steady.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Dull.

Sugar—Raw quiet; fair refining 3.67; centrifugal 96 test 4.17; molasses sugar 3.37. Refined quiet.

Coffee—Rio No. 7, 6 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 5-8. Mild kuiet; Cordova 9 3-4 to 12 1-2. Futures closed 5 points lower.

Freights and PeanutsCoffeekArsu53

Freights to Liverpool—Steady; cotton by steam 12 cents; grain by steam 1 3-4d.

Peanuts—Firm; fancy hand picked 6 1-4 to 6 1-2; other domestics 2 3-4 to 5 1-2.

Potatoes—Irregular; Long Island and Jersey, per barrel 2.75 to 3.25; Southern 1.50 to 3.00; sweets, Southern new 3.00 to 4.00; Jersey, per basket 1.50 to 2.50.

Cabbages—Steady; flat Dutch, per 100 lbs., 5.00 to 6.00; red, per barrel 1.00 to 1.25.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, July 27.—Ideal weather for the new crop caused decided weakness today in all grain markets on the board of trade. At the close wheat for September delivery showed a net loss of 1 1-4 to 1 3-8. Corn was down 1 1-4c. Oats were 1 1-8 to 1 1-4c lower and provisions 2 1-2 to 5 to 27 1-2 to 30c lower.

Leading features were as follows:

	Open.	High.	Close.
Wheat.			
July	90 3-8	90 1-2	89 3-4
Sept	90 1-2	90 1-2	89 3-8
Dec. ol	92 1-2	92 1-2	91 5-8
Dec ne	91 1-8	92 1-4	91 3-8
Corn.			
July	76 3-4	76 7-8	76 3-4
Sept	75 7-8	75 7-8	75 1-8
Dec.	61 5-8	61 5-8	61
May	60 3-4	60 3-4	60 1-8
Oats.			
July ol	52 1-2	54	51
July ne	51	54 1-4	51
Sept	43 1-2	43 3-4	43
Dec.	42 1-2	43 1-2	43
Mess Pork, per bbl.			
Sept	15 60	15 60	15 35
Oct.	15 65	15 65	15 40
Lard, per 100 lbs.			
Sept	9 25	9 25	9 25
Oct.	9 32 1-2	9 32 1-2	9 32 1-2
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.			
Sept	8 70	8 70	8 67 1-2
Oct.	8 77 1-2	8 80	8 75

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, steady. No. 3 spring wheat 1.02 to 1.14. No. 2 corn 76 1-2 to 77; No. 2 yellow 78 to 78 1-2. No. 2 white oats 53 1-2; No. 3 white 51 to 56. No. 2 rye 76. Fair to choice malting 65 to 66. Short ribs (loose) 8.37 1-2 to 8.70. Mess pork, 15.25 to 15.30. Lard per 100 lbs. 9.12 1-2. Short clear sides (boxed) 8.75 to 9.00. Whiskey, basis of high wines 1.35.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, July 27.—Rosin steady, strained common to good 3.05 to 3.10. Spirits of turpentine quiet.

Charloeston, S. C., July 27.—Turpentine steady 39c ;sales none. Quote: A. B. C. 2.55 to 2.60; D, 2.65 to 2.70; E. 2.75 to 2.80.

Savannah, Ga, July 27.—Turpentine firm 37; sales 1,559; receipts 1,115; shipments 192

Rosin firm; sales 3,119; receipts 3,661; shipments 2,771; stocks 140,785. Quote: A. B. C. 2.65; D, 2.75; E, 2.85; F, 3.20; G, 3.25; H, 3.55; I, 3.90; K, 4.85; M, 5.40; N, 5.90; WG 6.35; WW, 6 40.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., July 27, 1908.

C. C. Railroad—5 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—7 casks spirits turpentine, 14 barrels crude turpentine.

W., C. & A. Railroad—4 casks spirits turpentine, 10 barrels rosin, 2 barrels tar, 38 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—44 casks spirits turpentine. 15 barrels rosin. 2 barrels tar, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 24 barrels rosin, 41 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—15 casks spirits turpentine, 28 barrels rosin.

Total— — bales cotton, 72 casks spirits turpentine, 77 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar, 104 barrels crude turpentine.

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$1.50 Suits Reduced to	$1.15
2.00 Suits Reduced to	1.50
3.00 Suits Reduced to	2.25
4.00 Suits Reduced to	3.00
5.00 Suits Reduced to	3.75
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12.50 Y. M. Suits Reduced to	10.00
15.00 Y. M. Suits Reduced to	11.25

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$10.00 Panama Hats Reduced to	$7.50
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6.50 Panama Hats Reduced to	4.87
5.00 Panama Hats Reduced to	3.75
5.00 Dunlap Hats Reduced to	3.75
4.00 Straw Hats Reduced to	3.00
3.50 Stetson Hats Reduced to	2.63
2.00 Noxall Hats Reduced to	1.50

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Heavy hard seat Dining Chairs, $1.75.
Heavy Oak Rockers, $1.75.
9-Piece Decorated Toilet Sets, $2.00.
$30.00 Ostermoore Mattresses, $18.50.
Three Nice Folding Beds $19.50 to $30.00.
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MORE TROUBLE FOR CASTRO

StrainedRelations Between Governments of Holland and Venezuela.

NETHERLANDS WARSHIPS

Ordered to Proceed to Venezuelan Waters Countermanded—The Situation an International Complication—Relations.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Willemstad, Island of Curacao, July 27.—The serious nature of the situation that has arisen between The Netherlands and Venezuela was emphasized today by the issuance of orders to the Dutch cruiser Gelderland to proceed at once to Venezuela to protect Dutch interests there. The Gelderland arrived here with J. D. Dereus, The Netherlands Minister and resident at Caracas on board, who was dismissed from Venezuela by President Castro. It was only a few hours after the cruiser's arrival that the orders for an immediate return to Venezuela were received.

The departure of the Venezuelan Consul, Senor Lopez, has resulted in a cessation of riots which grew out of the anti-Venezuelan sentiment here on Saturday and Sunday. The city is now calm and the troops which were patrolling the streets have been withdrawn to their barracks.

Caracas, July 25.—Via. Port of Spain, July 27.—The German Minister has taken charge of the Dutch interests here, in view of the dismissal by President Castro of M. Dereus, the Netherlands Minister, from Venezuela.

M. Dereus is awaiting the arrival of a Dutch warship at Porto Cabello. He claims that his offensive publication had the approval of the Netherlands Government, saying that he received a cablegram yesterday from The Hague approving his note and instructing him to insist upon an interview with President Castro; but this is impossible as diplomatic relations between the two countries have been severed.

A decree issued today raises the duty on straw paper and wood paper of the third class.

Caracas, July 22.—Via Port of Sprin, July 27.—The general opinion here condemns the Dutch Minister M. Dereus for publishing the statement that Castro had ruined Venezuela and the belief is expressed that the Netherland Government will not support Dereus on account of indiscreet act. The Minister's expulsion without being given time to communicate with his Government has a precedent in this country in the expulsion of the French and Belgian Ministers in 1894.

TWO RULERS MEET.

President Fallieres Welcomed to Russia With Ceremony.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Reval, July 27.—The harbor of Reval was bathed in sunshine for the meeting between Emperor Nicholas of Russia, and President Fallieres, of France, which occurred this afternoon. President Fallieres arrived here on the French battleship Verite, which was escorted by the armored cruiser Dupetet Thouars and the gunboats Cassini, and found waiting him the principal part of Russia's fighting fleet drawn up in two lines. The French squadron took up an assigned position between the two rows, the Verite dropping midway between the Emperor's Yacht Standart and the dowager empress' yacht, Polar Star. As the French ships swung into place a series of salutes were fired and the crews of both nations exchanged hearty and prolonged cheers. The strains of the Marseillaise, were heard on the quarterdeck of the Imperial yacht Standart and the Russian warships. The Emperor sent Admiral Dikoff, Minister of Marine to bid President Fallieres welcome to Russia and after a short interval the French President, accompanied by his suite on a gorgeous State barge towed by a launch, proferred to the Standart to make the acquaintance of the Russian ruler. Emperor Nicholas met him at the gangway and greeted him with the greatest cordiality. President Fallieres was then presented to the Empress of Russia, after which the Imperial children were presented to President Fallieres.

MEN FOR PACIFIC FLEET.

Government Contract With Railroads For Transporting to Pacific.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, July 27.—Contracts were awarded today by the Navy Department for the transportation of 720 enlisted men of the Navy from Norfolk, Va., to San Francisco, Cal. The men are to be distributed among the various vesselt of the Pacific fleet, which shortly will leave on a cruise among the Pacific Islands. A flat rate of $34 a man was made by the railroads. The contracts were awarded to the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway, the Southern Railway, the Norfolk & Western and the Seaboard Air Line, each being allotted the transportation of 180 men. The movement will begin on August 2nd from Norfolk, sixty men being started each day until the entire 720 are on their way.

—"What, then," asked the professor, "is the exact difference between logic and sophistry?" "Well," replied the bright student, "if you're engaged in a controversy, it's just the difference between your line of argument and the other fellow's."—Philadelphia Press.

A COMPETITIVE AIRSHIP FLIGHT

Between Capt. Baldwin and Henri Farman, The Daring Frenchman.

GOVERNMENT REQUIREMENTS

Arrangement Being Made by Aero Club, of America ,to Compete With Baldwin Before His Machine is Accepted by Army.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, D. C., July 27.—"The toys of millionaires." That's what Captain Thomas S. Baldwin, the famous aeronaut says about ai-ships. His remark was called forth by the visit to Washington today of August Post, representing the Aero Club, of America, who is here in an effort to arrange a competitive flight between Captain Baldwin in his dirigible balloon and Henri Farman, the daring Frenchman, in his aeroplane.

It was the desire of the aero club of America which has a contract with Farman for flights in various cities throughout the country to have Baldwin bring his machine to New York immediately for the joint flight and return later to Fort Myer to make the tests before the army board for the final acceptance of his airship. This has been found impracticable, however, on account of the time limit within which Baldwin must make the tests.

In the event that Captain Baldwin fulfils all the requirements of his contract with the Government the machine will become the property of the United States army. It would then become necessary to secure the permission of General James Allen, Chief Signal officer, to take the dirigible to New York for the competitive flight. This would probably be difficult to obtain and the Aero Club may determine to bring Henri Farman to Washington to compete with Baldwin before his machine is finally accepted by the army. Mr. Post, of the Aero Club, today discussed the various phases of the proposition with General Allen, Captain Baldwin and Lieutenant Lahm, but no decision was reached.

"Aeronautics is for the most part in the experimental age" said Captain Baldwin tonight, "and a man who is deeply interested in its problems is very apt to get visionary in his ideas, but I think that a contest such as the aero Club of America is endeavoring to arrange will be of inestimable value in aiding the advancement of the science."

Captain Baldwin already has expressed himself to the effect that he has not endeavored to get unusual speed in the dirigible he has built for the army and his machine would be at a great disadvantage in a competitive flight for speed with Henri Farman's machine. On the other hand, in a competition for endurance, there would be but a slight chance for Henri Farman to remain in the air as long as Captain Balding.

DEMOCRATIC CAMPAIGN.

Branch Headquarters in Denver—Executive Committee Chairmanship.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, July 27.—Chairman Mack, of the Natianal Democratic Committee, announced today that branch headquarters with John E. Osborne, National Committeeman from Wyoming in charge, will be opened in Denver the last month of the Presidential campaign.

Mr. Mack, who left tonight for his home in Buffalo, expects within a week to decide upon some man or men whose names will be presented to the Executive Committee for chairman of that Committee. W. J. Bryan within a fortnight or less, will meet members of the Executive Committee in Chicago. At this meeting the chairman of the Committee will be chosen.

In speaking of the advisory committee which he will appoint, Mr. Mack said that it will include such men as former Governor Francis, of Missouri, and John E. Lamb, of Indiana. "Mr. Bryan," said the Democratic chairman, "is anxious to have the advice of old time Democrats and he wishes particularly to interest those members of the party in the campaign."

Mr. Mack will announce the personnel of the executive and the advisory committees at Buffalo. He expects to spend the greater part of his time during the campaign in Chicago.

TYPHOON AT HONG KONG.

Many Persons Drowned—Property Loss on Shore Very Heavy.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Hong Kong, July 27.—A typhoon struck Hong Kong shortly before 12 o'clock last night causing unusually high seas to run. A number of Chinese were drowned. Members of the crew of the British cruiser Astria, with a searchlight, started out in a cutter to rescue the 13 men who were fighting for life against the angry waves. They succeeded in rescuing six of them, the others being drowned. The property loss on shore is very heavy.

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THE INDEPENDENCE PARTY CONVENTION

First National Gathering Attended By Large Assembleage of Delegates.

W. R. HEARST RING LEADER

He Was Made Temporary Chairman and is Accorded Enthusiastic Ovation—His Speech of Acceptance—Other Details.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, July 27.—Amid loud and enthusiastic cheering and with its members showing every sign of loyalty to their new standard and political faith, the first National convention of the Independence party was opened at 8 o'clock tonight in Orchestra Hall.

The main floor of the hall was filled by the delegates. There were no alternates. The galleries were more overcrowded with a throng which entered heartily into the spirit of the proceedings and throughout the session applauded vigorously whatever met their approval.

New York cheered every other delegation and the delegations cheered New York. They then cheered each other, and then themselves until the hall rang again and again. The demonstration lasted about 15 minutes.

The arrival of William Randolph Hearst started a delirious demonstration. The hall was in an uproar as Hearst mounted the steps leading to the platform. He took no notice of the demonstration but after remaining on the rostrum for about three minutes in consultation with the Secretary of the Convention, he descended into the body of the hall, taking a seat with the New York delegation.

His action was a signal for renewed cheering and the delegates shouting "Hearst, Hearst."

Milton W. Howard, of Alabama, took the gavel and introduced Charles A. Walsh, of Iowa, Secretary of the Provisional National Committee, who read the call for the convention.

This document declared the purpose of the gathering to be the foundation of an Independent party and the nomination of candidates for President and Vice President.

The reading was interrupted by cries of "Hearst" and one man in the balcony cried "Bryan." A storm of hisses that followed were stilled by the gavel.

Mr. Howard at the conclusion of the invocation announced the names of the temporary officers of the convention. His mention of the name of Mr. Hearst was received with an outburst of applause; and Mr. Hearst when he mounted the rostrum, the convention rose en-masse, cheering wildly.

Mr. Hearst delivered his address with intense earnestness, driving home his points in an emphatic manner that carried the convention with him from the start to the close of his address.

Following Mr. Hearst's speech, Jas. H. O'Neil, of Rhode Island presented to the temporary chairman a "union label" gavel. Another gavel was presented by J. D. Bush, of New York.

Mr. Hearst then made a brief speech of acceptance.

Mr. Reuben R. Lyon, of New York, was called to the chair and directed the secretary to read the membership lists of the various convention committees.

After an address by C. A. Windle, of Chicago, the convention adjourned until 2 o'clock tomorrow.

Mr. Hearst said in part:

"My friends, this is the first National convention of the Independence party. Whether it shall prove an historical event or merely a passing political incident depends upon the wisdom and patriotism with which we shall deliberate and act.

"If the men who met in Independence Hall in Philadelphia, on the fourth of July, 1776, had had within them the feeling of hesitation any disposition towards compromise or concession, that day would now pass as any other day upon the calendar.

"But the patriots who assembled there had courage in their hearts, determination in their minds, high purpose in their souls, and the fourth of July is saluted throughout the world as the birthday of liberty for all men.

"It is too much to say that our convention can ever reach the importance of the second Continental Congress but the principles they met to declare we have met to preserve, and the liberties they assembled to secure we have assembled to protect.

"I believe, therefore, that we will do a service to our fellow citizens second only to the inestimable service rendered by the founders of this Government if we shall found a party which will remain unfailingly faithful to the cause of the plain people, to the principles of the Declaration of Independence and to the fundamental American ideas of liberty, equality and opportunity for all.

"I believe that if any party is necessary in this country to preserve the Government as the fathers framed it, a new party is necessary, if any party is necessary to promote progress and prosperity, to encourage the honest business man and protect the honest workingman a new party is necessary; if any party is necessary to represent the typical American citizens to constitute the people in their struggle with the typranical monopolies which constitute the trusts a new party is necessary.

"The old parties, in this day of their decadence, are no longer equal to this work, for they have become unfaithful to the principles which inspired them and unworthy of the patriots who founded them.

"The Republican party is the open and avowed hand maiden of the trusts. It scorns those who would rescue it, repudiates those who would reform it, and glories brazenly in its profitable infamy.

"The Democratic party is merely envious of its sordid sister's ill-gotten finery. It upbraids her at one election and imitates her at the next.

"The Republican leaders are the political attorneys of trusts and monopolies ,the representatives in public life of those giant corporations which have superseded the people i nthis Republic as the source of power and the seat of authority.

"The Democratic vanguard is a Falstaff's army. It is led by a knight arrayed in a motley of modified professions and compromised principles of altered opinions and retracted statements.

"Assuming that Mr. Bryan himself is all that his most ardent admirers claim him to be, a great lawyer, an enlightened statesman, an inspired patriot, still a man is known by the company he keeps and no decent Democrat can tolerate his free companions.

"No honest citizen can let down the bars of office to such as Ali Baba's band of boodlers and braves.

"No prudent citizen will support a combination to which Taggart supplies a candidate and Parker a platform, for which Ryan will pay the freight and the people will pay the penalty.

"I urge our party to take a broad and liberal stand toward the legitimate business enterprise of the country, but to distinguish between honest business everywhere and those criminal concerns which plunder through political pull and pay for political protection.

"Let us nominate candidates from among the many men here present whose lives and deeds are a guarantee of the genuineness of their attitude, a pledge of the sincerity of our profession.

"Then let us go forth to an honorable effort for a righteous cause, to battle and to victory."

HONORS AMERICAN TEAM.

President Sends Message to Americans at Olympic Games.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 27.—Presi-Roosevelt today in a message which he sent to the American Commissioner of the Olympic games in London, expressed a desire to shake hands with everyone of the men whose feats placed the flag of the United States at the head of all nations in the athletic games, which ended Saturday. That he will gratify this desire to grasp the hand of each of the athletes there is no doubt. Secretary Loeb, when asked today whether the President would go to New York when the victorious American team arrived there and take part in the ovation, which is planned for their honor, said it was too early yet to say in just what way the President would extend his welcome. He asked how many men there are in the team and it is thought that he had in mind plans for reception of the athletes at Sagamore Hill. It is expected that when more definite information is received as to when the athletes will arrive the President will announce whether he will go to New York or ask the men to come to Oyster Bay, so that he may meet and talk with them.

The President's message was in response to the cablegram from the United States commissioner at the Olympic games in London.

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